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STALIN ORDERS NEW ATTACK

BUDGET FRAMED TO CARRY HUGE FEDERAL DEFICIT

Roosevelt Program Will Boost Debt.

BY JOHN FISHER.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26.—President Roosevelt and his fiscal aids today were putting the finishing touches on the 1941 budget, which will show the eighth consecutive unbalanced budget under the present administration.

Secretary Morgenthau.

Despite all the talk of pruning expenditures and a new policy of economy, the budget is expected to call for another deficit of at least three billion dollars, pushing the accumulated New Deal deficits to more than 25 billion dollars.

The deficit for 1940 is expected to run closer to 4 billion dollars than the 3 billion 326 millions estimated by the President. With more than a half year to go the deficit on Dec. 21 amounted to 1 billion 881 million dollars.

Borrowing Boosts Federal Debt.

Excessive deficits have meant continuous borrowing. As a result, the federal debt has increased from less than 21 billion dollars when Mr. Roosevelt took office in 1933 to nearly 43 billion dollars at present—or doubled.

With the debt rapidly approaching the maximum limit of 45 billions set by law, some action must be taken either to confine the debt within these limits or jack up the ceiling. The administration has indicated that it will ask congress to do the latter.

Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau has already told a house committee that a 50 billion dollar limit would be desirable. Some sources expect a recommendation for more with the hope of getting a compromise figure.

Seeks to Lift Debt Limit.

The administration's campaign to undermine congressional and widespread public opposition to a lift in the debt limit has been launched by the President himself. He recently said that rising national defense costs must be met either thru borrowing or by imposition of a special tax—the latter at the suggestion of Marriner S. Eccles, chairman of the federal reserve board, whose deficit spending theories have been adopted as administration policy.

The idea of increased taxes is not readily welcomed by the public. As a result, the more painless form of expenditure thru federal borrowing is expected to win favor as an alternative and weaken the opposition to an increased debt limit. The cost of carrying interest on the federal debt will run more than 1 billion dollars a year and can be expected to increase with the rise in borrowing.

Big Budget for Defense.

The new budget will probably provide for as much as 2½ billion dollars for national defense, or almost as much as all income tax payments are expected to yield. A supertax of possibly 10 per cent on the net payable on incomes is reported to be under consideration by the administration and may find a place in the President's annual message to congress shortly after it convenes on Jan. 3.

Mr. Roosevelt is understood to have begun work on the annual message and will next take up the budget matter. The detailed budget is scheduled to be submitted to the printers by Saturday, which accounts for last minute conferences on its provisions.

DRENNON CHOSEN TO BE MANAGER OF KANSAS CITY

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 26 (AP).—The city council tonight elected William Drennon, retired insurance executive, to city manager.

There had been rumors that Mayor John B. Smith would resign if his personal choice for the office, L. Perry Gottingham, city manager of Saginaw, Mich., were not elected. Smith, however, took no immediate action. Gottingham was the only other candidate. The vote was 5 to 4.

Councilmen affiliated with the Joseph R. Shannon and Thomas J. Pendergast Democratic organizations voted for Drennon, who is president of the Kansas City club.

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THE WEATHER

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1939.

Sunrise, 7:17. Sunset, 4:25. Moon rises at 6:17 p. m. Mars and Venus are evening stars. Jupiter and Saturn are bright luminaries.

CHICAGO AND VICINITY: Cloudy, some light snow in forenoon Wednesday; Thursday partly cloudy; not much change in temperature; moderate to fresh northeasterly winds, becoming north and northwest and diminishing Wednesday night.

ILLINOIS: Cloudy, light snow in forenoon Wednesday; colder Wednesday night; Thursday generally fair.

TEMPERATURES IN CHICAGO.

For 24 hours ended 2 a. m., Dec. 27.

3 a.m.	26	9 a.m.	29	3 p.m.	32
4 a.m.	25	10 a.m.	31	4 p.m.	32
5 a.m.	25	11 a.m.	32	5 p.m.	31
6 a.m.	26	Noon.	*33	6 p.m.	32
7 a.m.	27	1 p.m.	33	7 p.m.	32
8 a.m.	28	2 p.m.	33	8 p.m.	†32

9 p.m.	32	10 p.m.	32
11 p.m.	32	Midn't.	31
1 a.m.	30	2 a.m.	29

*Highest. †Lowest. ‡Unofficial. 8 p. m.-8 a.m.

Mean temperature, 30 degrees; normal, 26 degrees; December excess, 215 degrees; excess since Jan. 1, 1,080 degrees.

Precipitation, trace; December deficiency, .88 inch. Total since Jan. 1, 27.51 inches. Deficiency since Jan. 1, 8.07 inches.

Highest wind velocity, 13 miles an hour from the east at 6:15 p. m.

(Detailed weather report on page 26.)

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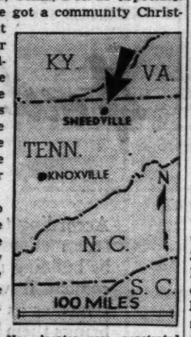
Literally, This Christmas Gift Is Talk of Town

Sneedville, Tenn., Dec. 26 [Special].—Sneedville got a community Christmas present this year that literally is the talk of the town. It is a telephone system—the first one the village ever had.



Map locates area penetrated by new phone line.

Altho there are only five phones, they give the town a sense of contact with the outside world it never felt before. Sneedville, with 500 inhabitants, is the seat of Hancock county which has 14,000 residents.

Neither Sneedville nor the county has electric lights, except for a few privately owned generators, and has less than ten miles of paved road. No great need apparently is felt for these facilities for the community has idle money and always oversubscribes its own county bond issues.

Fails to Impress Residents.

In fact, there was no popular demand for even the telephone system which was brought in 30 miles from Morrison at a cost to the Southern Bell Telephone company of $22,260.

Quite a few of the folks around here even scoff at the thought that "the gadget ever will be worth a hoot." These disbelievers recall that a party line thru the community was abandoned 20 years ago because of the lack of interest in it and because farmers decided they needed the wire more for pasture fencing than just to talk over.

After all, they opined, why should they want a telephone when all of their kinfolk live right around nearby? And what's a matter of a few miles walk to a mountaineer? Then, too, Tennessee country women don't indulge much in week-day gossiping. Sunday is given over to visiting in the mountains.

Few May Find It Handy.

"I reckon there may be a few people in town who will find the telephone pretty handy sometimes," one of a group of men sunning themselves in front of a cross roads store summed up the matter.

"It sure was nice of the company to put the line in here but we'd a been better off to have had electricity come thru these valleys. A body can make that stuff work for him but a telephone is mostly just something to waste time with."

Credit for bringing the telephone to Sneedville is given the county's 300 pound head man, C. E. Goodman. For years he was judge of the county court and now, as the community's Democratic leader, he wields still more power by his disbursement of government funds thru the WPA and PWA. He also owns three country stores.

YOU CAN'T RECOGNIZE A CRIMINAL BY LOOKING AT HIM, EXPERT FINDS

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26 (AP).—Dr. Ales Hrdlicka, Smithsonian anthropologist, said today that his long efforts to find a criminal type convinced him there were no physical criteria for distinguishing the potential criminal. There may be, he said, a criminal facies—a combination of facial expression, body build and motor behavior. That may be sensed, but not proved, Dr. Hrdlicka added, and there will be a great percentage of exceptions.

LENIN BANNED IN CAMBRIDGE SCHOOL BOOKS

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 26 (AP).—The city council tonight unanimously voted to ban the name of Lenin and Leningrad from all printed matter in the city—including textbooks, geographies, and atlases.

In another unanimous vote the council ordered the substitution of St. Petersburg for Leningrad in all school and college books in the city. The measures were offered by Councilman Michael A. Sullivan, who said he proposed them to combat communism.

The first measure would "ban the name of Lenin and the name of the city of Leningrad from all textbooks, geographies, atlases, and all printed matter in our schools, and from this time forward no printed matter of any nature whatsoever, textbooks, school books, magazines, newspapers, etc., carrying aforementioned names shall be allowed within the city limits of Cambridge."

GERMAN YOUTHS SWAP SHOES TO SAVE LEATHER

HALLE, Germany, Dec. 26 (AP).—The local Shoemaker's guild, with consent of the lord mayor, has formalized the business of hand-me-downs in footwear. An exchange for children's shoes where parents can trade outgrown shoes for worn but not worn-out larger sizes has been set up to avert waste of precious leather and to sidestep the red tape of rationing on new shoes. A small administration fee is collected on each trade.

Little Readers Prefer Facts to Fairy Tales

Old time fairy tales and fiction books are dropping off the preferred reading lists of school age children. Younger children today prefer stories about horses and dogs, while those beyond the sixth grade are increasing their demands for vocational subjects.

These conclusions were reached in a survey conducted by the American Library association. The association's annual convention opens at the Drake hotel today and will continue thru Thursday and Friday.

Question Chicago Children.

The A. L. A. asked librarians thruout the nation what school age children between the ages of 9 and 18 are reading. The association also cooperated with the Chicago public library in questioning more than a thousand Chicago children of the same ages to determine their preferences in reading material.

The national survey showed that children are demanding war stories, and material on airplanes and submarines. Pupils in the 2d, 3d, and 4th grades, according to the survey, want stories about animals, but they don't want the animals to talk.

["Black Beauty," for example, was told in the first person.]

The exception to the lack of interest in fairy tales, the survey showed, is in books such as Snow White, Heidi, Wizard of Oz, and Ferdinand. The demand for these tales coincided with the release of moving pictures about the characters.

Prefer Fact to Fiction.

The Chicago survey revealed that 83 per cent of the children above the sixth grade are more interested in factual books than in fiction. They voted for war stories, history, biographies, and vocational books.

Most of these children have never heard of Horatio Alger, the author of children's best sellers 20 and 30 years ago. Alger's stories were nearly all of the same theme—that of the poor boy who fights his way to riches.

Ninety-one per cent of the children who voted in the survey said they like to read the Bible and Shakespeare. The majority of them also said that bright colored jackets on books attract their attention more than illustrations.

A Street Guide Directs Police to Store Burglar

John R. Blaney uses a pocket street guide to make his way around town. Police investigating the burglary of an ice cream store at 300 West 63d street Christmas eve found Blaney's street guide with his name and address. Yesterday they arrested him in his home at 234 Englewood avenue. Blaney admitted stealing $5 and said he was drunk at the time.

BRITAIN PUSHES ECONOMIC WAR AGAINST NAZIS

Tries to Bottle Up Supply Sources.

BY DAVID DARRAH.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

LONDON, Dec. 26.—With the next few weeks of winter being unfavorable to fighting, the British government will push its war efforts on the home and economic fronts along these lines according to present indications:

FIRST—A speech-making tour of the country by cabinet ministers, headed by Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain, to tell the people about the war and find out what the public is thinking.

SECOND—Intensification of the economic warfare against Germany by possible cabinet alterations which would include the appointment of an economic commander-in-chief or minister of economic coördination.

THIRD—An increase in the campaign to get the savings of persons with small incomes.

Speaks in London Jan. 9.

Chamberlain will open the campaign to get in direct contact with the electorate with a speech in London on Jan. 9. Sir John Simon, chancellor of the exchequer; Foreign Minister Lord Halifax; Winston Churchill, first lord of the admiralty; Leslie Hore-Belisha, war minister; Sir Kingsley Wood, air minister, and Lord Chatfield, admiral of the fleet, will follow up with addresses in other parts of the country. Chamberlain will speak in his home town, Birmingham, Feb. 4, with Chatfield concluding the campaign in Cardiff, Wales, on Feb. 10.

Chamberlain is expected to be pressed to appoint a minister of economic coördination immediately after the Christmas recess of parliament, and L. C. M. S. Amery, formerly minister of dominions, has been mentioned for the post.

The British Federation of Industries and many members of parliament are behind the move to increase economic warfare against Germany. They particularly want to carry out the idea which Amery recently expounded of buying export surpluses in all countries in Germany's proximity so that the Germans can't get them.

Urge Economic Dictator.

To make the economic warfare more effective they are telling Chamberlain that various ministries, such as the board of trade, the ministry of supply, the ministry of economic warfare, the department of overseas trade, the ministry of shipping, the ministry of mines and others should be headed by a minister who would have supreme authority over all economic questions.

Ever since criticism was raised that economic strangulation of Germany was not proceeding as fast as it might be, some increase in economic warfare has been evident. Several deals to buy goods in countries of southeastern Europe have been made or are about to be made with the idea of keeping them away from Germany.

The campaign to make the people tighten their belts, save their money and lend it to the government is well under way. The latest report is that during the last four weeks $164,000,000 has been netted in this kind of savings by persons with small incomes. This money is expected not only to help finance the war but also to stall off inflation.

Where Savings Are Put.

Of the $164,000,000 saved, about $84,000,000 represents bonds and $80,000,000 represents savings certificates. Some of the latter are in denominations as low as $3.

The government believes these small savings will prevent money from being spent on goods and so ward off inflated prices. The national consumption, it is estimated, must be reduced by one-fifth. Labor unions, which as a matter of principle oppose reducing the standard of living, object to the campaign.

Sir Robert Kindersley is in command of the drive to get hold of savings. He expects to canvass 213,000 factories as well as offices and shops.

Stalin Wins an Election; Every Vote Cast for Him

MOSCOW, Dec. 26 (AP).—Dictator Stalin received every vote in his district in the election Sunday to the Moscow city soviet, Russian newspapers announced today. Stalin received each of the district's 2,972 votes. An effort was made to get every eligible voter to the polls.

Joseph Davies Named Special War Aid to Hull

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26 (AP).—President Roosevelt today named Joseph E. Davies, American ambassador to Belgium, as a special assistant to Secretary of State Cordell Hull to handle war emergency problems and international trade questions.

Joseph E. Davies.

Davies will assume his new post on or about Jan. 10. He now is in the United States, having been recalled to report to the President on the trade agreement negotiations with Belgium.

Davies will retain the rank of ambassador until a new envoy to Belgium is appointed and sworn in.

The secretary of state already has two special assistants—Lynn R. Edminster and Leo Pasvolsky—both experts in trade agreements. An official connected with the department expressed the belief that instead of dealing with trade agreements at a desk in the state department Davies might be used by Secretary Hull to lead one wing of the defending forces when the trade agreements are under attack in the next session of congress.

Special Bureau Formed.

The war emergency problems mentioned in the White House announcement are now being handled by the special division of the state department created shortly after the outbreak of war. This is directed by Breckinridge Long, former ambassador to Italy, as chief of division, and by Hugh Wilson, former ambassador to Germany, as assistant chief.

The problems include removal of Americans from Europe, representation of the interests of Britain, France, Canada, and Australia in Germany, supervision of the treatment of allied war prisoners in Germany, and obtaining information on Americans or relatives of Americans in war areas.

President Roosevelt at his press conference said Long will be transferred to another post, which he could not yet specify, and that Davies will take over most of his duties.

May Serve Without Pay.

Davies, who recently celebrated his 63d birthday, did special war work for the government during the world war. He must shortly give up his salary of $17,500 a year as ambassador. Nothing was said today about his new salary, which led to the supposition by one official that he might serve without pay. The salary of a special assistant is $8,000.

Davies married Mrs. Marjorie Post Close Hutton, daughter of the late Charles W. Post, cereal manufacturer, in December, 1935. Davies was appointed ambasssador to Russia in 1936. It was reported that the lack of social gayety in the soviet capital disappointed his wealthy wife and he obtained the more desirable post of ambassador to Belgium in 1938.

Drunken Driver to Serve 45 Week-Ends in Jail

Canton, Ill., Dec. 26 [Special].—Vernon Games, arrested here when his automobile crashed into a moving Burlington railway freight train a week ago, will spend his week-ends in the county jail until late next year. Judge J. D. Breckenridge today sentencing him to serve 90 days in jail. The fact that he had a wife, a family and a job brought a ruling that the sentence be served on week-ends. Games pleaded guilty to a charge of intoxication.

New books about music and musicians

Biographies of several of the world's greatest composers, and a group of books dealing with various aspects of the musical art are among the new publications reviewed today in the Tribune book department on Page 12.

For the latest news about books and the people who write them, read the Tribune book department every Wednesday.

ACTS AS 4,000 REDS ARE SLAIN IN ARCTIC ROUT

Finns Push Soviets Back 50 Miles.

(Pictures on back page.)

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Dec. 27 [Wednesday] (AP).—The Russians have been forced to retreat upward of 50 miles in some places in northern Finland, and are estimated to have lost 4,000 men in fighting in the extreme north in the last three days, dispatches from Finnish army headquarters said today.

The Russians were reported preparing to counterattack in the north, however, with some of their best troops, among them veterans of the Polish campaign.

[Oslo dispatches said Norwegian observers near the frontier of Finnish Lapland had noticed large quantities of Russian war materials arriving, and that one new Red offensive was expected from Hoyhenjarvi, 60 miles south of the arctic, despite widespread blizzards and subzero temperatures.]

Have Massed 300,000 Men.

Maj. Gen. Martti Wallenius, commander of the Finnish northern forces, was quoted as saying he expected a Russian drive to come in the vicinity of Salla, near Finland's "waistline," and said his information indicated the Russians had massed 300,000 men on the eastern front from Lake Ladoga in the south to the Arctic ocean.

The Finns said the Russian reenforcements were "elite" troops and that among the officers were some of Dictator Josef Stalin's personal friends.

Stalin was described as being provoked with the reverses experienced in the arctic fighting, and as being determined upon a vigorous initiative on that front.

Complete Three Day Retreat.

At Finnish headquarters it was estimated the 4,000 Russians lost their lives in the last three days as they completed their harried retreat from the southernmost point of their advance, 80 miles south of the Arctic.

The Finns had made ceaseless attacks on the retreating Russians, it was reported, and subjected them to many surprise attacks.

Finnish headquarters believed the Russian withdrawal in the north was about over, however, and that the time had come to expect a counter-assault with the fresh men and materials hurried northward.

The Finns said they had identified 16 Russian divisions confronting them on the east and north—each division consisting of about 18,000 men.

Weather Favors Finns.

Gen. Wallenius was quoted as saying the general situation was such that each Finnish battalion (about 600 men) faced a Russian division.

But while outnumbered, the Finns found the difficulties of weather and transport in their favor. The White sea is frozen so that there is no sea communication to Archangel or Murmansk, and the Russians' main reliance for supplies is the Murmansk railroad, which is supplemented in the far north by tractor drawn cars on narrow rail lines laid on the highways. Finnish planes have kept the railway under almost constant bombardment.

Dispatches from southern Finland said citizens of Finland's second largest city, Viipuri, were leaving their homes after intermittent shelling of the port by Russian long range artillery. Only about 6,000 residents of the city's 74,000 population remained. The city is near the Karelian isthmus front.

Slay 700 on Frozen Lake.

HELSINGFORS, Finland, Dec. 26 (AP).—Heavy Russian forces, supported by tanks, airplanes, and artillery, were reported tonight to have left 700 dead on the ice of Lake Suvanto when repulsed in a series of fierce assaults against Finnish positions on the Karelian isthmus.

The main attack, a Finnish communique said, took place on the eastern side of the isthmus, where Russian columns struck simultaneously at Haitermaa, Sakkola, Kreija, and Volossula.

Finnish fire took a heavy toll of the attackers as they attempted to cross the frozen surface of Lake Suvanto in bitter cold.

Altogether, the Finns said, 23 Russian planes were shot down in a day of fighting.

Take 50 Red Prisoners.

The communique said the Finnish troops had captured 50 prisoners, disabled two tanks and taken quantities of war materials including 16 ma-

chine guns in the Lake Suvanto sector.

Fighting continued farther north, to the east of Lieksa, from which the Finns previously had been reported driving across the soviet frontier in the direction of the Murmansk railway. The Finns said they had destroyed 20 enemy lorries there.

Activity also was reported at Suomussalmi near the middle of the eastern frontier, where the communique said two Russian tanks had been destroyed.

Elsewhere the Finns reported the eastern front remained quiet, with the exception of patrol skirmishes and artillery fire northeast of Lake Ladoga.

Helsingfors had a 30 minute air raid warning when four planes were sighted. Although detonations were heard, no bombs were dropped on the city.

The Finnish Communique.

The text of the communique follows:

"LAND FORCES: On the [Karelian] Isthmus the enemy attacked at various points supported by tanks, cannon, and airplanes. The main attack was launched against Lake Suvanto, which they attempted to cross at Haitermaa, Sakkola, Kreija, and Volossula. All the attacks were repulsed, the enemy losing large numbers of men.

"During the day we captured 5 infantry guns, 16 machine guns, 5 quick-firing guns, and took 70 prisoners besides immobilizing 2 tanks.

"On the Suvanto ice the enemy left 700 killed.

"On the eastern front it was quiet northeast of Lake Ladoga, except for patrol skirmishes and artillery fire.

"On the Aittojoki we captured one gun and an armored car.

"East of Lieksa our troops destroyed 20 enemy lorries and at Suomussalmi they destroyed 2 tanks.

"On other parts of the front there was nothing of importance on Dec. 25.

Coastal Batteries Bombed.

"NAVAL FORCES: Enemy planes bombed Koivisto batteries and coast guard ships repeatedly on Dec. 25 and some coastal fortifications in passing. In the Gulf of Finland, a coastal force shot down five enemy planes, coastal vessels shot down four planes and Lake Ladoga batteries shot down two planes. Our own losses were small.

"AIR FORCES: The enemy made use of favorable weather to make numerous air attacks both in the war area and outside. Many towns were targets of bombing such as Helsingfors, Turku, Tampere, Hango, Porvoo, Viipuri, and the neighborhood of Kaekisalmi and Sortavala as well as the populated centers of Riihimaki, Elisenvaara, and Ilomantsi.

"The bombing was mostly done from a great height, so in spite of the large numbers of bombs the loss of life and material damage was comparatively slight. In several cases enemy planes flying low subjected civilians to machine gun fire.

"Our own air force was active bombing and carrying out successful actions in the air. During the day our air force and antiaircraft fire destroyed 12 enemy planes, mostly bombers, according to confirmed reports. Besides these there were at least three doubtful cases. Our own airforce suffered no loss. During the day therefore it was certain altogether 23 planes were destroyed."

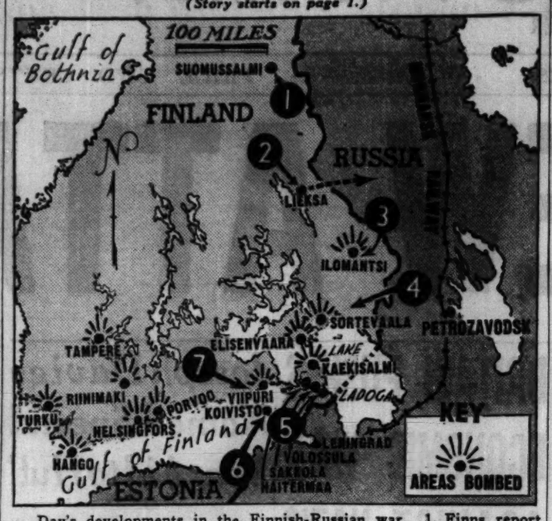
Report "Petty Skirmishes."

MOSCOW, Dec. 26 (AP).—The Red army communique covering activities in Finland for today reported only "petty skirmishes," artillery duels, and reconnoitering [scouting] flights.

"Dec. 26, petty skirmishes of reconnoitering units and artillery duels in a number of areas. Soviet aviation made reconnoitering flights," the communique said.

Finns Fight Off Russian Attacks

(Story starts on page 1.)



Day's developments in the Finnish-Russian war. 1. Finns report destruction of two Russian tanks. 2. Fighting continues in sector where Finns are driving across frontier. 3. Russians report rout of Finnish battalions. 4. Skirmishes in area northeast of Lake Ladoga. 5. Russians lose 700 in attack on four towns at Lake Suvanto. 6. Batteries bombed by Red planes. 7 Long range shells burst in sea coast city.

Arrow locates town where new Russian offensive is expected in far northern Finland, where Reds are reported to have lost 4,000 men in three day retreat.

SWEDEN NEUTRAL BUT WINKS AN EYE AT AID FOR FINNS

Movement of Volunteers Kept Close Secret.

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, Dec. 26 (AP).—Fighting volunteers, medical aid for refugees, great quantities of clothing and financial credits are among the aids extended to Finland by Sweden.

Gen. Ernst Linder.

The most significant help to Sweden's small northern neighbor to fight off soviet Russia—the volunteers—is not mentioned often.

The government maintains its policy of official neutrality, and the movement of volunteers comes under the heading of military secrecy.

But it is known that hundreds of volunteers, distinctively uniformed, already have left Sweden and are on Finnish soil where they are expected to be in action soon, especially on the northern and central fronts.

Gen. Ernst Linder, 71 years old, a veteran with both the Swedish and Finnish armies, has been named commander of the volunteers.

"Every Assistance Possible."

"Every assistance possible for Finland within the official policy of neutrality," appears to be the thought motivating the citizens and the government.

Swedes estimated tonight that outright cash contributions to Finland to date totaled 8,000,000 crowns [about $2,000,000.] These sums have been raised by organized collections. The largest single cash contribution was by the Confederation of Labor, an association of labor unions, whic' gave 500,000 crowns.

One Stockholm newspaper is campaigning to get its readers to contribute one day's pay to the Finnish war chest. Another newspaper already has sent many carloads of clothing donated by its readers.

Swedish painters are offering their pictures for sale and contributing the proceeds to the Finns. Numerous authors have contributed their royalties.

Make It Easy to Buy.

The Swedish Red Cross has sent an ambulance unit with 50 doctors and nurses.

Organizations hastily formed in Stockholm are caring for persons who fled from Finland, especially Finnish children, whose parents have perished or who remain in Finland.

Business men, apparently with an encouraging nod from the government, are extending extraordinary credits to the Finns to enable them to make purchases abroad.

Finland cannot pay immediately for all materials needed, but vital goods are sent in many cases without arrangements for payment. Sweden has an excess of sugar and grain, and the surplus is being diverted to the Finns in preference to other usual outlets.

BRITAIN SOWING NEW MINE FIELD 500 MILES LONG

Navy Lays Wide Belt Off East Coast.

LONDON, Dec. 26.—Great Britain's navy is laying a gigantic mine field, 500 miles long and 30 to 40 wide, off Britain's east coast to protect its ports from German naval activity, whether by submarine fleet or the sowing of mines.

Dotted area locates new mine field.

Information issued by the admiralty, which is required by international law to notify world shipping because the mines will lie outside belligerent territorial waters, indicates the completed field will start off Moray firth, not many miles from Scapa flow, and run 500 miles down the coast until it ends to let vessels enter the Thames estuary.

Narrow Passage Left.

A few miles beyond its end nets and mines begin again. These are part of the barrage with which the British at the start of the war closed off the Dover straits. It leaves only a narrow passage along the British shore and leads ships passing up or down the English channel into the British contraband control station in Downs.

Roughly speaking, the mine field, which is still being laid, will lie about eight miles off the coast and follow the contour of the coast line. It eventually will include three smaller fields that were laid at the beginning of the war.

Ships coming from Holland and Belgium are able to slip in thru the Thames entrance, but ships coming from Norway, Sweden, and Baltic ports, or trying to come from other foreign ports thru the North sea, are advised to slip around the head of the mine field off Moray firth and work down thru the eight miles of free water lying between the shore and the edge of the field.

Sweep Free Channel.

During the world war British mine sweepers kept the English channel clear from Portland all along the coast to Scapa flow, inside the present eight mile strip. The British channel then was swept at least once daily, and usually twice—at a heavy cost of lives and ships. It is believed the same plan is being followed in this war. In addition, it is believed secret channels will be kept open thru the big mine field so that British warships based at any of the eastern ports may slip out to sea.

It is believed an enemy ship or submarine could go thru the new field only in extreme danger. The field is said, therefore, to decrease the area to be watched in waters where German mines have taken their heaviest toll.

BRITISH BOMBERS ATTACK GERMAN NORTH SEA BOATS

Score No Hit; English Ship Sunk; 14 Die.

LONDON, Dec. 26 (AP).—A bloodless encounter between British warplanes and German patrol vessels in the North sea yesterday was reported today by the air ministry.

The ministry said the royal air force continued its patrols thruout Christmas day, "covering the British fishing fleets and the North sea."

German patrol ships which were sighted fired on the planes, which dropped some bombs. Neither side registered a hit.

[The German high command reported that machine gun volleys beat off British air attacks on German "vanguard" boats in Heligoland bay on Christmas day.]

British Ship Sunk; 14 Die.

The British steamer Stanholme, 2,473 tons, was reported to have been torpedoed and sunk with a loss of 14 lives off the west coast of England. Ten survivors said the ship was torpedoed without warning on Christmas day.

Most of the crew were below decks when an explosion sank the ship two hours after she left port. The only uninjured survivor was the captain. There was a woman aboard, Mrs. Mabel Jenny, wife of the chief engineer. Her husband was drowned.

"We had no warning and no time to launch a lifeboat," said E. L. Evans, a seaman. "I pushed a raft into the water and scrambled onto it. We were picked up by a lifeboat of a Norwegian steamer whose crew heard the explosion."

French Repulse 2 Raids.

PARIS, Dec. 26 (AP).—The French military reported today the repulse of predawn Christmas raids by German patrols east of the Moselle river.

[The German high command said its troops took no action on Christmas.]

The heaviest skirmish, which the French described as serious, began at 4 a. m. on Christmas with artillery and mortar preparation. The French troops were said not to have suffered a casualty in routing the Germans in an hour and a half fight.

Tonight's communique of the French general staff reported "activity of our contact units."

On West Front: 3 British Dead.

Military sources said official figures approved by the British disclosed that only three British soldiers had been killed on the western front since the war began, with 2,070 killed in naval service and 438 in the air force. The total of 2,511 compared with a French death total of 1,424.

NAVY'S NEWEST PLANES TO HAVE 1,000 H.P. MOTORS

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26 (AP).—The navy disclosed today some details of a $20,016,669 contract awarded last week for a fleet of more than 100 two motor long range flying boats. Described as improvements of a model already in use, the planes will increase to more than 300 the number of such craft in service.

The big flying boats have a range of 4,000 to 5,000 miles. They are designed to patrol the navy's long line of observation between island bases in the Pacific and otherwise to reinforce hemisphere defense policies. The contract went to the Consolidated Aircraft corporation, San Diego, Cal., and was the largest of the kind the navy has let.

Aviation circles had understood that the planes were to be powered by four motors. Instead officials said each has two Pratt and Whitney 14 cylinder 1,000 horsepower engines, turning three blade propellers. Officially designated the "PBY-5," each weighs approximately 12 tons and carries a crew of seven. The span of the single high wing is 104 feet and the plane is 65 feet long and 18½ feet high.

EMPEROR OPENS JAP DIET; HAILS TIES WITH WORLD

TOKIO, Dec. 26 (AP).—Emperor Hirohito of Japan, wearing a general's field uniform, today opened the seventy-fifth diet [parliament] with an expression of gratitude that relations between Japan and other powers have become more amicable and closer.

Emperor Hirohito.

The largest budget in Japan's history, calling for new taxation, will be considered by the legislators during their three months' session. The cabinet council on Dec. 8 approved a budget of $2,427,657,500, of which 65 per cent was designated for the army and navy.

"With the outbreak of disturbances in Europe," the emperor said, "the world situation has become extremely complicated. You must, therefore, make a close study of conditions in the world and direct your efforts to expand the national power so the conviction of the empire may be realized and east Asia may be fully stabilized."

Hitch-Hiking Youth Killed Getting Off Moving Truck

Rushville, Ill., Dec. 26 (AP).—Don Gragg, 18 years old, junior in the Rushville High school, died of injuries received when he was struck by an automobile on his way home today from a Christmas party in Beardstown. The accident happened as the youth was alighting from a truck. Vale Clugstone, Macomb, driver of the car, said he swerved the machine in a futile effort to avoid striking young Gragg.

Half Brother of Racketeer and His Wife Kill Selves

New York, Dec. 26 [Special].—Jack Buchalter, 53, half brother of Louis [Lepke] Buchalter, convicted racketeer, and his wife Zelpha, 48, killed themselves today by turning on gas in the kitchen stove of their Bronx apartment. Jack Buchalter, according to officials, was not involved with Lepke's activities. He was a salesman for a Bronx hardware company.

10 Trespassers on Navy Area Put on Probation

HONOLULU, Dec. 26 (AP).—Ten fishermen arrested for trespassing on the restricted navy area at the entrance to Pearl harbor pleaded guilty in federal court today. They were put on probation for five years.

Names Porto Rico's New Washington Commissioner

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, Dec. 26 (AP).—Admiral William D. Leahy, governor of Porto Rico, today appointed Senator Bolivar Pagan, 40 years old, to succeed the late Santiago Iglesias as resident commissioner in Washington. Senator Pagan, former judge and a leader of the Porto Rican Socialist party, is a son-in-law of Iglesias.

Ex-Member of Machado Strong Arm Squad Slain

HAVANA, Dec. 27, Wednesday.—Braulio Ortega, former member of the "Porrista," the strong arm squad of the Machado régime, was shot and killed by an unknown person as he was talking on the Prado promenade, near Central park, at midnight. The assailant escaped in an automobile.

Oslo Discounts Reports of Canceling Army Leaves

OSLO, Norway, Dec. 26 (AP).—Reports appearing in Copenhagen newspapers that Christmas leaves had been canceled for the Norwegian army were discounted today by well-informed quarters here. The reports said the cancelation was prompted by rumors that the German fleet was about to make a foray into the North sea.

Offering Sent by Pope to Help Catholic Finns

VATICAN CITY, Dec. 25 (AP).—The Vatican announced today that Pope Pius had sent a large offering to William Cobben, apostolic vicar at Helsingfors, Finland, to be used to help Catholics in Finland. The amount was not disclosed.

Rep. Heinke of Nebraska Injured in Auto Collision

Morrilton, Ark., Dec. 26 (AP).—Rep. George H. Heinke [R., Neb.], 57 years old and Mrs. Heinke, 51, were injured seriously today in an auto collision.

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BLAZE DAMAGES 35 ROOM HOME OF H. T. STANTON

Fire yesterday destroyed the third floor and roof of the main section of the three story 35 room brick colonial mansion on Henry T. Stanton's estate, White Thorn, in Wayne, Du Page county. Stanton is vice president of the J. Walter Thompson advertising agency.

Fire departments of Wayne, Elgin, St. Charles, Bartlett, and Geneva responded to the alarm. Hose lines were strung from an artificial lake on the estate and the fire was prevented from spreading to the two wooden wings. Servants removed most of the furniture from the two lower floors, which were damaged by water.

The fire apparently started on the third floor, where recreation rooms are located. It was discovered by William Wilcke, a houseman. Fire Marshal Robert E. Whalen of Elgin said the damage might reach $20,000.

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Squibb's Cod Liver Oil, plain or mint, 24 oz.	$1.29
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Listerine. 14 ounces	59c
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Alka-Seltzer	49c
Faircrest Cough Syrup. 6 ozs.	47c
Faircrest Milk of Magnesia, pint	23c
Phillips' Milk of Magnesia. 12 ozs.	29c
Dobell's Solution. Pint	19c
Nasal Douche	15c
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SOVIET FRONTIER IS 'END OF TRAIL,' WRITER LEARNS

Reds' Traffic to Rumania at Standstill.

BY SAM BREWER.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

CETATEA-ALBA, Rumania, at the Russian frontier, Dec. 26.—A visit to Rumania's frontier with Russia is like a visit to the end of the world.

Guided by a subprefect—a deputy governor—at Tighana, this correspondent today went to the bridge over the Dniester river which was opened in 1934 and is the only bridge in service between Rumania and Russia.

Eastern Rumania and frontier with Russia.

One Rumanian train and one Russian train cross the bridge daily to serve the rare travelers—diplomats or reporters—who enter or leave Russia.

The Russian train crews are not allowed to leave their train, even to eat in the station while the train is in Rumania.

Careful of Espionage.

The carriage road across the bridge is walled up with planks. When I pointed my hand toward the bridge the subprefect quickly said, "Don't point your hand at anything. It is forbidden. They might think you are signaling."

As soon as our car appeared near the end of the bridge on the Rumanian side two Russian sentries advanced hastily to the point where the bridge railing was painted gray to mark the boundary. At the same time two Rumanian sentries approached at a dog trot to find out who the visitors were and why they were there.

The Russian bank of the river was as forbidding as the shore of an unknown world, tho it was less than 200 yards away.

A Deserted Village.

Snow covered the roofs of the deserted village seen clearly across the Dniester.

"Notice that there is no smoke," my guide said. "The whole population was sent to the interior, supposedly to Siberia, because of attempts in 1932 to escape across the river."

Farther down the river we saw a steamboat landing. It was deserted and falling to ruin. All of the river traffic long has been suspended. A police official explained that if a boat even crosses the imaginary boundary in midstream, it is the cause for an international incident.

Old Fortress Modernized.

Across the river was a tower like a fire watch tower in an American forest. The Russians maintain a constant watch there to stop anybody who tries to cross the river.

In the town there is an ancient Turkish citadel which once drew many sightseers. Now it contains modern guns and cannot be visited. Again at Bogaz, on the Black sea, we saw Russian territory — again without signs of life on the shore.

This is the point where the railway used to cross the mouth of the great lagoon known as the Dniester Liman on the way to Odessa. The railway bridge now has been destroyed. The railway ends at Bogaz.

Germans Report Spanish Ship Sunk; 48 of Crew Lost

LISBON, Portugal, Dec. 26 (AP).—The Spanish steamer Perez sank off the Portuguese coast and 48 of her crew of 52 were lost, states an official German news agency dispatch published here today. The Perez is not listed in Lloyd's.

Leave Rumania

IGNACE MOSCICKI.

MME. MOSCICKI.

BUCHAREST, Dec. 26 (AP).—Ignace Moscicki, former president of Poland, left Rumania today for a sanatorium in Switzerland seeking treatment for heart disease. Moscicki was interned when he fled into Rumania as the Russian and German armies occupied Poland but permission to leave this country was granted after consultation with physicians. He was accompanied by his wife and daughter.

FILE 4TH CLAIM AGAINST GERMAN SHIP IN FLORIDA

Miami, Fla., Dec. 26 (AP).—A British oil corporation filed a $114,652 libel today against the already legally entangled German freighter Arauca, which fled into port at Fort Lauderdale, Fla., last week to escape a British cruiser.

The federal court action, filed thru a Miami law firm on behalf of the Asiatic Petroleum corporation of London, coupled with three previous suits, brought to $253,498 the total of claims against the freighter.

The petroleum concern claimed the $114,652 was due for fuel oil supplied other ships of the Hamburg-American line just before the outbreak of war.

General Peyton C. March Observes 75th Birthday

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26 [Special].—Gen. Peyton C. March, wartime chief of staff of the United States army, will observe his 75th birthday tomorrow in Palm Beach, Fla., where he and his wife are visiting friends. Gen. March is enjoying vigorous health. He was chief of staff from May, 1918, until his retirement in July, 1921. His service covered the responsibilities not only of war but of the largest army ever raised by the United States. Since his retirement he has maintained his residence here.

BURY RAIL EMPLOYE TODAY.

Sidney, Ill., Dec. 26 [Special].—Funeral services will be held tomorrow for Charles Starr, 61 years old, who died Sunday in the Wabash Railroad hospital at Decatur. He had been an employe of the Wabash railway in the water service department for 47 years. Four children survive.

FRENCH PROPOSE CARVING RUSSIA INTO SMALL UNITS

Hint at Making Oil Areas Independent States.

BY LARRY RUE.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

PARIS, Dec. 26.—Reconstruction of Russia, not Germany, into a series of small independent states was suggested tonight by the semiofficial newspaper, Le Temps.

The article was dedicated to the difficulties which Germany is said to be encountering in obtaining the necessary oil with which to operate its airplanes and other mechanized army units.

Sees New War Objective.

After emphasizing that Germany's mechanized forces would be paralyzed if its supply of oil were cut off, the writer said that the Black sea can become for Great Britain and France one of the main strategic objectives of the war.

Not only lack of transportation facilities, but the oil needs of Russia itself to operate its mechanized farms and for war purposes are regarded by the writer as eliminating it as an important source of supply for Germany. The British-French blockade is regarded as sufficiently effective to prevent any oil from reaching Germany from America, which produces more than 60 per cent of the world production.

The only great supply of oil which the French see as being available for the reich in the prosecution of the war is Iran [Persia] and this, experts here say, can only be sent in important quantities across the Black sea.

Proposes Carving Up Caucasia.

While France still has not broken relations with Russia, this does not prevent it from suggesting that the Ukraine and the Caucasian republics of Azerbaijan and Georgia might be glad to set up independent governments. The rich Baku oil fields are in Azerbaijan.

The Russians in Finland, it is argued, have exploded the vaunted power of the soviet army. This has encouraged a feeling here that Russia itself no longer represents a cohesive nation of 180,000,000 but a group of small nations and that if a war were properly directed France and England might discover allies where heretofore outside opinion saw only enemies.

These are considerations taken into account to support the determination of France to aid Finland against Russia.

Ships Seized from Germany in 1917 Go on Scrap Heap

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26 (AP).—The 23,788 ton ship George Washington, which carried President Wilson to the world war peace conference, will be sold for scrap along with three other obsolete government owned passenger vessels. Bids were invited today by the maritime commission. All four ships were seized from their German owners on April 6, 1917. The other vessels to be sold are the 19,360 ton Monticello, the 18,372 ton Mount Vernon, and the 21,329 ton America. All four are laid up in the Patuxent river off Solomons Island, Md.

Chilean Finance Chief Quits After Row with Socialists

SANTIAGO, Chile, Dec. 26 (AP).—The office of President Pedro Aguirre Cerda today announced that he had accepted the resignation of Finance Minister Roberto Wachholtz. Political quarters said Wachholtz, who is politically independent, had disagreed with socialist members of the cabinet. The socialist press has attacked his policies as rightist.

Suggest Partition

(Story in adjoining column.)

Map locates Caucasian republics, including Baku oil fields, which it is suggested might be glad to separate from Russia and become allies of the empires.

JAPANESE CLAIM 28,000 CHINESE SLAIN IN BATTLES

HONGKONG, Dec. 26 (AP).—Japanese dispatches reported tonight that 13,000 Chinese had been killed in coordinated Japanese offensives in the South China provinces of Kwangtung and Kwangsi.

(Japanese in Shanghai asserted that 15,000 Chinese also had been killed in fighting north and south of Hankow, central China metropolis.)

The areas north of Nanning, Kwangsi province, and north of Canton, Kwangtung capital, were the scenes of the Japanese drives in the south. Japanese reports asserted their troops had killed 7,000 Chinese in capturing Wuming, 30 miles north of Nanning.

The Japanese air force was reported to have attacked Kweilin, Kwangsi capital, and an air base at Liuchow. Japanese troops were said to have driven 55 miles north and 50 miles northeast of Canton, killing 6,000 Chinese.

ITALY WILL FLY MAIL OVER SEA DESPITE CRASH

ROME, Dec. 26 (AP).—Italian authorities today announced that air mail service to South America would be continued regularly despite the plane crash in which seven persons were killed Sunday during an inaugural flight.

The plane, carrying the first load of air mail from South America, crashed near Mogador, French Morocco. Authorities said Pilot Antonio Rapp apparently had tried to fly through a storm rather than delay the first trip of the new service.

In addition to the plane's crew of four, one Italian and two Brazilian newspaper men were killed.

Germans Admit 231 Died in Train Wrecks in 24 Hrs.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

BERLIN, Dec. 26.—The news of last Saturday's train wreck near Karlsruhe still was being withheld from the Germans, officials today admitted 99 persons were killed. The death toll in railroad crashes within the 24 hours before Christmas totaled 231.

FLYING SQUADRON FROM AUSTRALIA LANDS IN BRITAIN

Second Dominion to Send a Fighting Force.

LONDON, Dec. 26 (AP).—Australia's contribution to the British empire's war effort took tangible form today with the landing of a trained air squadron in England.

Arrival of the airmen, little more than a week after a division of Canadian active service troops debarked at an English port, was regarded as a demonstration of empire solidarity.

Under command of Wing Commander L. V. Lachal, the Australian contingent was made up of pilots, gunners and observers and a ground staff of mechanics.

Will Train in England.

The squadron will undergo brief active training in this country before going into action. It is the first to arrive of the Australian air expeditionary force, which totals 3,200 men.

Empire war coöperation calls for the establishment of a great pool of flyers from the dominions and the mother country in Canada, where training will be centered in 67 schools and where eventually it is hoped to turn out 25,000 pilots, gunners, observers, and radio operators annually.

Canada already has an infantry division of about 16,000 men training in Britain and other units in training at home.

Australia has compulsory service for men between the ages of 20 and 22 for home defense. Officials estimate that by the end of next June 100,000 men will have received intensive training. Three months of training for the voluntarily enlisted militia begins in January.

India Delays Active Aid.

India, home of 350,000,000 of the empire's 500,000,000 aggregate population, has contributed gifts of money from a number of maharajahs. However, demands for Indian independence or dominion status are delaying unified action toward active war support.

Australia, besides its army expansion, is strengthening its naval squadron by modernizing the two powerful cruisers, Australia and Canberra. The naval personnel has been doubled to more than 10,000 men. Australia also is preparing for large scale production of aircraft.

New Zealand's chief contribution thus far has been naval. The Achilles, one of the three British cruisers which drove the German pocket battleship Admiral Graf Spee to its doom at Montevideo, belongs to New Zealand's naval forces. A considerable portion of its crew are New Zealanders. The Achilles was dispatched for patrol duty around South America's shores at the request of the British government.

New Zealand Trains Pilots.

About 400 New Zealanders are being trained as royal air force pilots now and, in addition, New Zealand plans to send overseas an infantry division. The first contingent of about 7,000 men already is in camp. Another camp of the same strength will be established soon.

Newfoundland has sent a contingent of fishermen who volunteered for mine sweeping duty off Britain's coasts.

The Union of South Africa is training an air force at Kimberley.

2 Held for Trial on Charges of Looting a Fort in Dublin

DUBLIN, Dec. 26 (AP).—A district court today held two men for trial on charges of participating in a raid on a Dublin fort which was looted of a large quantity of arms and ammunition. Police said the raid, which occurred Dec. 23, was made by members of the outlawed Irish Republican army.

Both men, William Cleary, 35 years old, and William Gordon, 31, remained silent thruout the brief proceedings in the heavily guarded courtroom.

Haul Loot Away in Trucks.

The raid on the fort was part of a holiday flareup of what police said was Irish Republican army activity. Sixty prisoners suspected of I. R. A. membership rioted in a Londonderry jail Christmas day.

In the raid on the Dublin fort in Phoenix park the loot was hauled away in trucks. Telephone wires leading from the fort to nearby barracks were cut and a park attendant who attempted to inform police was critically injured.

Altho four of the raiders were said to have been captured, none of the arms and ammunition has been reported found.

Sing Republican Songs.

The prisoners in the Londonderry, Northern Ireland, jail locked their warders in a cell, set fire to bedding, smashed furniture, and leaned out of windows to sing Republican songs. They had been interned for the duration of the war because of suspected affiliations with the I. R. A.

They suspended a large placard from a window which read: "England is the champion of freedom. Is this freedom?"

The rioting continued for five hours before the prisoners were subdued by police, firemen, and soldiers.

GERMANY WILL MOVE 80,000 GALICIAN JEWS TO REDS' POLISH AREA

PARIS, Dec. 26.—Eighty thousand Galician Jews, who have lived in Germany for more than 20 years, will be transferred to the part of eastern Poland held by Russia, it was learned here today by the Jewish circles.

Contrary to the treatment accorded other Jews deported to the Lublin district, they will be allowed to take property because Germany wants to exchange them for 150,000 German colonists in eastern Galicia. Every Jew in Germany able to prove Galician origin will be granted Russian citizenship by soviet consuls and given free passage to the east.

The deportation of Austrian and Bohemian Jews to the Lublin district is proceeding at the rate of 2,000 a week. New camps have been established at Rozwadow, Tarnobrzeg, and Rudniki.

Ship Sinks in Black Sea Hurricane, Crew of 24 Dies

ISTANBUL, Turkey, Dec. 26 (AP).—The Turkish freighter Kizilirmak, 2,794 tons, struck rocks near Sinope during a Black sea hurricane and went down with its entire crew of 24. Many trawlers and other light craft were missing today after the storm.

No Christmas, So Santa Visits Byrd a Day Early

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26 (AP).—Lost: Christmas day of 1939. By the officers and crews of the North Star, flagship of the Byrd antarctic expedition, and the navy oiler Trinity. Was dropped while crossing the international date line. Finder need not return, as the Christmas decorations, turkeys, gifts, and other prerequisites of a celebration were used up on Dec. 24.

Japanese Bombers Destroy Home of Illinois Couple

Nashville, Ill., Dec. 26 (AP).—Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Zimmerman, Lutheran missionaries in Shashi, China, notified relatives here yesterday that their home had been bombed and destroyed Dec. 20 by Japanese aviators and that they and their four children had escaped injury. Zimmerman formerly lived in Alton and Mrs. Zimmerman in Nashville.

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HITLER STEPS ON FRENCH SOIL AS HE PLAYS SANTA

Bears Christmas Gifts for His Soldiers.

(Picture on back page.)

BERLIN, Dec. 26 (AP).—Adolf Hitler, playing Santa Claus to his western front troops, returned briefly to French soil Christmas eve, 21 years after he last left it, a gassed and temporarily blinded world war corporal.

Sector where Hitler visited his troops in France.

His visit was disclosed today, presumably after the Fuehrer had left the Saarbruecken region where he crossed the border a few hundred yards from French guns.

An authoritative account of the excursion said he entered France at a section which now is a no-man's-land and continued on to Spicheren Heights, between Saarbruecken and Forbach. There he spent some time in a sector occupied by French troops until a few weeks ago when the French withdrew under German pressure to their own side of the border.

Inspects French Dugouts.

The "first soldier of the reich" inspected French-built concrete dugouts and gun emplacements now in German hands and then walked thru woods to the extreme German outposts.

As he returned afoot at dusk, church bells pealed as customary on Christmas eve from the nearby village of Spicheren. A German patrol had entered the village between the two battle lines merely to ring the bells.

Tho the night grew foggy, Hitler continued down the German lines from bunker to bunker distributing Christmas packages along the main defenses before Saarbruecken while his soldiers sang "Silent Night, Holy Night."

Meets St. Nicholas.

In one festively decorated bunker the Fuehrer unexpectedly met his yuletide counterpart—St. Nicholas—costumed with beard and all. Hitler grinningly surrendered his gifts to Santa to distribute.

Hitler apparently took no gifts of shot or shell along for the French poilus directly opposite him, for the army communique reported all quiet on the western front.

[The French reported German patrol raids had been repulsed in Christmas fighting.]

Hitler's bag, however, contained several promotions which reports said he took delight in awarding without warning. Among those promoted was the captain who guided him around the front. He was made a major.

Eats in Mess Hall.

On Christmas day Hitler continued the Santa rôle, ate his noon meal in the mess hall of an aviation field, and slept again that night "somewhere in the west" before ending his three day visit.

During a visit to his own world war regiment Hitler recalled the war Christmas of 1914 when he was in uniform. Optimism for victory now fills him, the Fuehrer told his old regiment.

The visit showed Hitler that at least as far as German decorative tastes are concerned there has been little change since world war days. He found bunkers made homey by bookshelves, carpets, bubbling tea kettles, and pictures tacked on the walls.

Famous Villa in Italy Reported Given to Hitler

BERLIN, Dec. 26.—Fuehrer Hitler today was reported to have accepted as a Christmas gift a famous villa in San Remo, Italy. The villa is said to have been given to him by Martha Selve, a former resident of Hamburg, who now lives in San Remo. Hitler is said to have ordered that the villa be equipped as a convalescent home for wounded soldiers. The villa, known as the Villa Zirio, was occupied by the German Emperor Frederick III. during the winter of 1887-'88 when he was seeking a cure for cancer of the throat that less than a year later led to his death.

3 Die in Fire

Mrs. William Worthley holding Judith, 7 months, youngest of her three children burned to death in apartment fire.

Donna Worthley, 20 months old, one of children mother was unable to save.

Billy Worthley, 3 years old, who also was a victim of fire.

Three babies, one 3 years old and the others 7 and 20 months old, burned to death yesterday in a ground floor apartment at 1437 Melrose street. They were the children of William Worthley, 26, and his wife, Marie, 22.

Mrs. Worthley, who was in an upstairs apartment of a neighbor when the fire started, made a futile effort to rescue the babies. With the help of a neighbor she kicked in the bedroom window and lifted Judith, the youngest child, from her crib. Firemen were unable to revive the baby. Flames prevented the mother from reaching the other children, William, the oldest, and Donna.

Earl Downes, fire investigator of the corporation counsel's office, said two jets of the gas stove in the apartment were found open. He said it was probable the escaping gas had been ignited by an oil heater in the living room.

DIES IN BOOKSHOP AT 65.

Fred A. Prager, 65 years old, a retired book dealer, died of heart disease yesterday in the Dearborn bookshop at 29 East Van Buren street. His home was at 214 Claremont avenue, Elmhurst.

U. S. LINES SEEK TO SELL 8 SHIPS TO NORWEGIANS

Same Vessels Involved in Panama Flag Ruckus.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26.—The United States Lines today filed an application with the maritime commission for permission to transfer to the Norwegian flag eight vessels, which it had attempted unsuccessfully to shift to Panamanian registry.

Provisions of the neutrality act make it impossible to employ these vessels on the regular run under the American flag. Under the neutrality proclamation President Roosevelt created a war zone extending from Bergen, Norway, to the coast of Spain, from which American ships are barred.

United States Line officials said the vessels could not be transferred to any other route or service, so they had decided to seek to transfer and sell them to the North Atlantic Transport company, a Norwegian corporation.

Roosevelt and Hull Disagree.

In an application, filed almost immediately after issuance of the neutrality proclamation, the lines sought to put the boats under the flag of Panama. Secretary of State Cordell Hull denounced the move as a flagrant violation of the spirit of the neutrality act, if not the letter.

At almost the same time, unaware of Hull's position, President Roosevelt defended the action. When he learned of the positive stand taken by his secretary of state, Mr. Roosevelt did an about face and the proposal died.

Mr. Roosevelt shifted his position when it developed that Hull might submit his resignation if he were overruled. To save the President's face, officials of the lines were persuaded to withdraw their transfer application.

President Dodges Issue.

Today at his press conference Mr. Roosevelt sidestepped questions on the application, saying that he knew nothing about the proposal, having heard only a rumor that a transfer would be sought.

The vessels involved are the President Harding, American Trader, American Farmer, American Banker, American Merchant, American Importer, American Shipper, and American Traveler.

The Norwegian line involved in the application operates between New York, Liverpool and London, making calls at Boston on west bound voyages.

War Disrupts Service.

President Roosevelt indicated he favors a plan now being discussed to employ some idle United States ships and seamen to take weather observations at sea.

Since the outbreak of the war, ships that formerly served as meteorological observing stations in the Atlantic have been withdrawn by the European powers. Maritime weather forecasts have been seriously disrupted thereby.

The President said the plan to use United States vessels and crews was being studied because it was felt there should be some observation posts between Bermuda and the Azores to report on weather conditions and storm movements.

Houses Sway as Temblor Shakes West Nicaragua

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Dec. 26 (AP).—An earthquake shook the Pacific coast of Nicaragua today for about 12 seconds, starting about 6 a. m. [7 a. m., Chicago time]. Houses swayed in the towns of Leon, Chinandega, and Corinto, but Managua was not seriously shaken. Dispatches from San Salvador stated that earthquake tremors were felt tonight in several provinces of the republic of Salvador. No damage was reported.

Captured German Ship Leaves Cristobal Under British Crew

COLON, Panama, Dec. 26 (AP).—While the German freighter Duesseldorf headed out to sea tonight under a British prize crew, Walter Schmidt, the German consul, said he had protested the vessel's clearance on the ground that Cristobal was a neutral port.

Asserting that he acted both as German consul and in the name of the North German Lloyd line, of which he is the agent, Schmidt said:

"I was under the impression that the ship was in neutral waters and relied upon the international ruling which forbids conveying a prize of war thru such waters."

Schmidt said he did not know whether the Duesseldorf had officially been declared a prize of war.

Says Matter Is Up to U. S.

"It is up to the United States authorities, who perhaps are at present handling the matter thru the German ambassador in Washington," he added.

[State department officials in Washington, D. C., said a report had not been received from the German ambassador and that they were taking no action concerning the Duesseldorf. They said a prize ship has the same status as a belligerent warship and that belligerent warships are permitted passage thru the canal under specified conditions.]

"Possibly I am mistaken," Schmidt said in referring to his protest. "It may be that there are existing agreements between the United States and Great Britain of which I am ignorant.

"Perhaps the Panama canal waters are not neutral. Perhaps if the ship had been taken alongside the dock it would have been different."

Later it was learned from American authorities that they considered Panama canal waters to have the same status as the high seas. Therefore, they said, international regulations governing neutral ports did not apply in this case.

Schmidt chuckled at the predicament of Hans von Appen, German clerk who was a passenger aboard the freighter. Von Appen was still in the Canal Zone quarantine station at Balboa, where he was sent until his status is cleared up.

Sent Back to Canal Zone.

Taken off for medical examination yesterday when he complained of a serious illness, he was transferred to Santo Tomas hospital in the Republic of Panama when he refused to undergo an emergency operation in the Canal Zone. The Panama doctors, however, found nothing seriously ailing him and he was sent back to the Canal Zone.

The Duesseldorf completed her passage thru the Panama canal late yesterday afternoon and was granted clearance for Jamaica in the evening. Her sailing subsequently was delayed, however, when Schmidt filed his protest with Maj. Gen. David L. Stone, Panama canal zone commander.

The ship was captured Dec. 15 off the Chilean coast by the British cruiser Despatch two days after the freighter put out from Valparaiso.

AUSTRIAN GIRL REPORTS THEFT OF $33,000 IN GEMS

Miss Anne Schneider, 19 years old, reported to Summerdale police last night that two rings and two bracelets, worth $33,330 in all, were taken by burglars last night from her first floor room in the Parmenter hotel at 5012 Winthrop avenue.

Lieut. Matt Hoff and three detectives were investigating the burglary and also the girl's story that she is the daughter of Baron von Schwedler, an Austrian general in the German army. Miss Schneider, the police found, has been working as a 26 girl and a waitress. She said she came to the United States two years ago aboard the Bremen because she was tired of society life in Vienna and wanted to make her own way.

The burglars entered her room by removing an iron grillwork from a window. The jewelry, she said, was kept in a dresser drawer. She described one bracelet as set with 345 chip diamonds and the other as of solid gold set with the family crest, an eagle on which a sword is superimposed.

SECRET COUNCIL MEETINGS STIR EVANSTON GOSSIP

The third mysterious closed session of the Evanston city council, meeting as a committee of the whole, was held last night prior to the regularly scheduled gathering open to the public.

It was reported that as a result of the secret meetings one alderman had offered to take a lie detector test, to be given to him today. Before each star chamber meeting, it was learned, each alderman and others present as witnesses or counsel were sworn to secrecy.

The first meeting, on Dec. 18, lasted from 9:50 p. m. to 12:10 a. m. There was a three hour session last Wednesday. Last night's closed affair lasted two hours, after which it was adjourned to 7:30 tonight. Mayor Henry D. Penfield admitted the same subject was under consideration at all the meetings. "We might know more tomorrow night," was all he would say last evening.

The regular council meeting, he announced, would be held at 9 o'clock, after the executive session.

BANDITS ROB CLEANER OF $140.

Two bandits went into the Continental Cleaners store at 3645 Chicago avenue yesterday and forced the manager, David Gilbert, to surrender $140.

WIFE OF POLICEMAN IS SHOT WHEN THEY STRUGGLE FOR GUN

Green Bay, Wis., Dec. 26 [Special].—Mrs. Vincent Poels, wife of a Green Bay policeman, is in a hospital today suffering from a bullet wound as a result of an altercation with her husband last night.

She is alleged to have followed her mate in the family car last night after accusing him of associating with other women. They met on a street corner and, in the ensuing quarrel, Mrs. Poels pointed a revolver at her husband and told him: "This is your last night."

Poels said he seized his wife's arm and forced the gun in back of her. It was discharged, the bullet wounded Mrs. Poels in the right side. Her condition was not believed to be serious.

Sentry Fires on Prowler Examining Army Bomber

San Rafael, Cal., Dec. 26 (AP).—An army sentry took three shots at a prowler, who was surprised tonight while examining a bombing plane at the Hamilton field army air base. Hamilton field authorities said the plane was unharmed. The prowler was described as a young man in civilian clothes. He was said to have been fired upon when he disregarded the sentry's command to halt. The prowler escaped.

SEIZED ON FLORIDA CHARGE.

Agents of the federal bureau of investigation yesterday arrested Robert M. Shaw, 28 years old, in the home of relatives at 2715 Giddings street. Shaw is wanted in Miami, Fla., where he is charged with violating the national stolen automobile act.

FRANCE MAY GET COAL FROM NAZIS THRU BELGIANS

Brussels Seeks Export Deal with Berlin.

BRUSSELS, Belgium, Dec. 26 (AP).—French steel mills, making shells and guns, soon may be operated with the indirect aid of the German coal industry.

Even if not using coal actually mined in Germany, they will be burning coal which Belgium is able to supply only because German coal is made available to the Belgian steel industry, it was indicated.

A foreign office spokesman admitted that a German refusal to increase coal shipments to Belgium would endanger Belgian ability to fulfill a prewar iron-coal exchange arrange with France.

Pact Perilled by Strike.

The agreement was further endangered by a strike in Belgian coal mines. It was estimated that 45,000 men—about 40 per cent of Belgium's 110,000 coal miners—were idle in protest against failure of the government to state definitely that a new law fixing an 8 hour instead of a 7½ hour day in the coal mines was only temporary. Practically every mining area in Belgium was affected.

Last August the Belgian coal cartel and French iron mining companies confirmed an agreement negotiated 6 months previously whereby the Belgians were to exchange 4,000,000 tons of coal, including 2,500,000 tons of coking coal, for 6,000,000 tons of French iron ore.

German coal supplies to neutral Belgium, it was said, will be one of the subjects to be taken up by the director of commercial treaties in the Belgian foreign office, who is leaving tomorrow for Berlin.

Belgian Output at Peak.

Belgium is a large coal producer, but nevertheless imports from Germany. Some sources expressed belief that at least 1,500,000 tons of coal involved in the French Belgian exchange would come from Germany. Unofficial sources said that while coal actually mined in Germany might not find its way to the steel mills of France, it would release Belgian coking coal which otherwise would be needed for Belgium's own steel industry.

It was said that Belgium has enough coking coal to continue to supply the French for the time being, but that this cannot be continued indefinitely unless additional German supplies are forthcoming.

Belgium's coal industry has worked full blast since the outbreak of war, and despite the loss of miners due to mobilization, has reached an output equal to that of 1938, a peak year. The November output was 2,512,000 tons.

While coal is being discussed by the Belgian envoy in Berlin, Belgian agents in London and Paris are expected to resume tomorrow negotiations for commercial agreements with Britain and France.

WOMAN BELIEVED SUICIDE.

East St. Louis, Ill., Dec. 26 [Special].—Miss Hazel Holmes, 31 years old, a telephone operator here for last 15 years, was found dead in her apartment here today, a victim of illuminating gas. Officials said she had taken her own life.

KING OF THE BELGIANS THANKS HIS SOLDIERS FOR THEIR SACRIFICES

BRUSSELS, Belgium, Dec. 26 (AP).—King Leopold of the Belgians, in an order of the day to the army, today said that mobilization was the country's greatest safeguard. His message said:

King Leopold.

"As the new year approaches, I address to officers, noncommissioned officers, and the ranks my good wishes for them and their families.

"I have known the sacrifices which service for their country has imposed upon them for many months, above all to those mobilized and to their relatives, and I appreciate the patriotic abnegation with which they accepted.

"Each one should be convinced that our efforts constitute the best guarantee for safeguarding our homes and maintaining the peace so ardently desired by the entire country."

Steamer Runs Aground in Bahamas; Sends S O S

New York, Dec. 27, Wednesday (AP).—Mackay Radio reported today it had intercepted an S O S from the 3,537 ton steamer Margaret Lykes saying she had run aground in the Bahama Island area and would need help. The call said the mishap occurred at Diamond point in the east end of Old Bahama channel. The United States coast guard dispatched the cutters Wichita and Mohave to her assistance. The steamer, which carries passengers, was at San Juan, Porto Rico, Dec. 18.

Blast in Billiard Hall Injures 12 in Theater

New York, Dec. 26 [Special].—An explosion in an oil stove in a poolroom adjoining the Lido theater in Brooklyn caused the brick wall between the two buildings to collapse this evening. Eleven patrons of the movie house and a fireman suffered minor injuries.

FINNS FILL SHOWS TO SEE FILMS OF ARCTIC VICTORY

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

HELSINGFORS, Finland, Dec. 26.—Finnish movie theaters which had closed for the Christmas holidays re-opened tonight and were crowded with patrons who came especially to see Finnish newsreels which portrayed the rout of one Russian division in the Petsamo [arctic] region.

Long rows of Red army trucks were shown disabled and clogging the arctic highway together with peasant carts whose horses had been killed in the battle. The Finns captured a large quantity of war material in the sector.

The audiences also silently watched scenes showing the many buildings and factories destroyed by the soviet bomb attacks in Viipuri [Viborg] during the past week. The loss of life there has been small.

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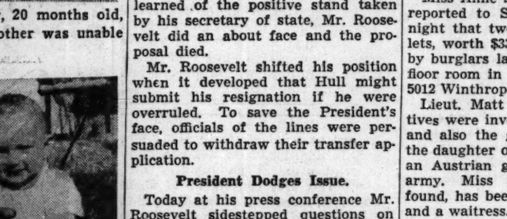

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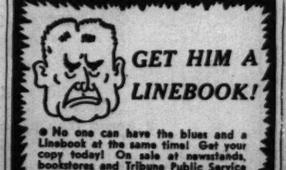

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DUTIES OF ENVOY TO POPE DEFINED BY WHITE HOUSE

Agent of Peace Alone, Critics Told.

BY WALTER TROHAN.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26.—In response to criticism of the appointment of Myron C. Taylor as peace ambassador to the Vatican, the White House today announced that President Roosevelt will be glad to see at any time critics of his action and to dispel fears that restoration of formal diplomatic relations with the Holy See is impending.

Rev. Louis D. Newton, critic of appointing envoy to Vatican. [A. P. wirephoto.]

Stephen T. Early, White House secretary, emphasized that the President has no intenion of reestablishing formal relations with the Vatican, but is interested merely in advancing the cause of peace and relief of war suffering thru parallel action with all faiths.

The secretary said that of 400 telegrams and letters received at the White House in reaction to the plan, only four were critical. He would not identify the critics, but said all were concerned over what they construed to be restoration of formal diplomatic relations.

"That is not the case, and I am certain that when they learn all the facts the critics will be satisfied," Early said.

Religious Basis Emphasized.

Mr. Roosevelt announced the appointment of Taylor, lawyer and industrialist, as his personal ambassador to the Vatican Saturday night in a letter to Pope Pius XII., emphasizing the letter was sent to the pope as head of the Catholic church and not of the Vatican state.

At the same time he sent letters to Dr. George A. Buttrick, president of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America, as a Protestant leader, and Rabbi Cyrus Adler, president of the Jewish Teological Seminary of America, as a prominent member of the Jewish faith.

In the letters to Dr. Buttrick and Rabbi Adler he extended invitations to meet with him at the White House to confer on peace problems from time to time. In the afternoon the White House announced that the first conference with the religious leaders will be held tomorrow.

President's Action Challenged.

Among others, the Rev. Louis D. Newton, Atlanta Baptist minister, and Bishop Paul B. Kern of the Methodist church in Nashville, challenged the action largely on interpretation of the move as a prelude to reestablishment of diplomatic relations.

At his press conference Mr. Roosevelt indirectly sought to allay such suspicions by stating that Taylor will bear no special message or peace plan when he goes to the Vatican and will continue to serve as this government's representative on the intergovernmental committee on refugee problems.

Told that the Italian government and the Vatican had agreed to conduct parallel peace efforts, Mr. Roosevelt said the more nations and governments that did things like that, the better peace prospects are.

Discuss Payment of Salary.

In his discussion of the Taylor appointment, Early said that the President has the constitutional right to make the appointment—he can name such advisors as he wishes. Early referred the question of compensation to the state department.

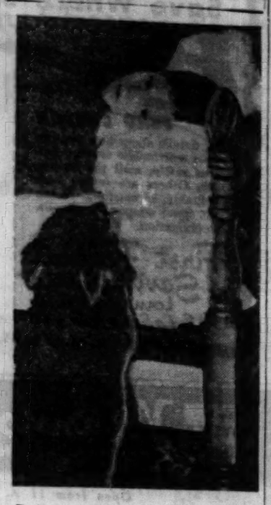
At the department it was said that Taylor will probably not receive any salary, but that expenses might be paid out of the department's contingent fund.

It was recalled that when Norman Davis was chosen as the President's ambassador-at-large, he received no salary but was given an expense allowance of $25 a day. This was shut off when congress decreed that no one in the diplomatic service should get an expense allowance greater than $15 a day. To meet the Davis case, a bill was passed voting him compensation at the ambassador's salary rate of $17,500 a year, but restricting payment to days actually on the job.

It was said that Taylor, who has long nursed diplomatic ambitions, is not interested in salary and will probably not seek reimbursement in a similar bill but will meet his own expenses.

The White House received word during the day that Taylor's appointment is acceptable to the Vatican. The word came in a letter from Archbishop Cicognani, apostolic delegate to the United States, to Archbishop Spellman of New York. The letter did not come directly to the White House because Mr. Roosevelt sent his message to the pope to the New York churchman for transmission to the pope thru the apostolic delegate.

Dogs Are Heroes



Daisy, a Spaniel, beside her master, Pat Hickey, in bed.

Fred Cronin holding Teddy, a dog which found body of master.

New York, Dec. 26 [Special].—Two dogs figured in two newsworthy events in New York today. Teddy, a small dog, found the body of her master, James Cangro, who had been slain, and gave the alarm. In another part of the city the barking of Daisy, a spaniel, brought firemen into the flat of Pat Hickey, 2 years old, who had been overcome with smoke. Pat and two brothers were revived by the firemen. The smoke was fatal to another infant brother.

KIEPURA TO SING ON W-G-N SERIES TOMORROW NIGHT

Opera Favorite Co-Starred with Marta Eggert.

BY LARRY WOLTERS.

Jan Kiepura, the Polish opera favorite and patriot, and his wife, Marta Eggert, vivacious continental prima donna, will be co-starred tomorrow night in the second of W-G-N's special holiday concert programs.

Jan Kiepura.

They will appear as guests on the Concert Revue, directed by Henry Weber, and will present a program flavored with opera arias.

These concerts, introducing a parade of similar fine musical presentations thru 1940, are serving to call attention to the City Opera's fund raising campaign. Miss Eggert, noted Hungarian singer and motion picture actress, will make her American operatic debut New Year's eve in the City Opera company's presentation of "La Bohème." She will appear in this opera with her husband, Kiepura has appeared often with the Chicago opera.

Gets Rousing Reception.

He has come to look upon Chicago as a sort of adopted city. He admires particularly the waterfront and has described Chicago as one of the world's most beautiful cities. Chicago, with its large population of Polish extraction, always has given Kiepura a rousing reception.

Kiepura lost his fortune in Poland when Hitler's army invaded the country. He had invested almost all of his wealth in his homeland.

Shortly before the invasion Kiepura was the hero of a spontaneous anti-German rally in Warsaw. He and his wife went to the old market place in the center of the capital after the final curtain of "Tosca," in which he appeared, and led 60,000 Poles in patriotic songs.

Urged Polish Mobilization.

A month before the German invasion Kiepura appealed to President Moscicki of Poland to mobilize the army. Kiepura was told that Hitler would march into the country if the Poles mobilized. Moscicki also told him that he well knew that if the Poles failed to mobilize they would be helpless should Hitler strike.

Kiepura said that when the Germans entered Poland they cut communications so swiftly that Poland was unable to mobilize more than 600,000 of its 3,000,000 men. Nevertheless, he said, Poland's resistance served England and France well, because it gave them an opportunity for full mobilization.

Kiepura said the Poles were prepared to lose their government, but they still feel they will not lose their national identity.

Kiepura and Miss Eggert have appeared often together in opera and in motion pictures. They made a creen version of "La Boheme." W-G-N will broadcast tomorrow night's concert, starting at 9:30 p. m., as well as others in the series, over the coast to coast network of the Mutual system.

HOLDUP SUSPECT AND DETECTIVE DIE IN GUN FIGHT

Chattanooga, Tenn., Dec. 26 (AP).—A gun battle tonight at a tourist camp near here resulted in the death of Clyde J. Shipley, veteran city detective, and a man said by Chief of Police Ray Bryan to be wanted in connection with a series of holdups. Also shot and critically wounded was a young woman companion of the slain holdup suspect.

Chief Bryan said city and county officers surrounded the tourist cabin and a knock at the door was greeted by pistol fire from within. Detective Shipley fell fatally wounded. Police Captain Homer Edmonson then fired into the cabin and, after the exchange of shots, a man identified by a social security card as Joseph Orson Rogers, 25, of Chicago, was found dead from bullet wounds.

A woman in the cabin, who was wounded critically, gave her name as Patricia McDonald, 19 years old, of Minneapolis. Another woman, Marian Lindquist, was lodged in the city jail. She said a man who fled from the cabin was James Charleson of Chicago.

2 Edison Employes Win Awards for Life Saving

Two employés of the Commonwealth Edison company were awarded the president's medal of the National Safety council yesterday for their efficient use of artificial respiration methods. Each was credited with saving a life. The recipients are Chester J. Wright, 10752 Wentworth avenue, and Stanley Sullivan, 7606 May street.

POPE VISITS ITALY'S MONARCHS TOMORROW; PEACE MOVE HINTED

ROME, Dec. 26 (AP).—Giovanni Ansaldo, a journalist reputed closest to Italy's foreign minister, Count Galeazzo Ciano, was quoted by the Catholic newspaper Avvenire today as suggesting political collaboration between the Italian government and the Holy See to promote peace and combat the spread of communism.

Avvenire said Ansaldo suggested the possibility was intensified in the light of the visit Pope Pius XII will pay Italy's sovereigns on Thursday. It will be the first visit paid by a Pope to an Italian sovereign since the unification of Italy 69 years ago. The king and queen, who recently called on Pope Pius, will receive him in the palace throne room.

LOVER OF 'SILENT NIGHT' SOUGHT IN WRITER'S DEATH

Warren avenue police yesterday sought a man known as "Stanley" in an effort to explain the death of Clark H. Slover, WPA writer and student of Hibernian and Saxon literature. Slover, 45 years old, was found in front of his apartment at 18 North Hoyne avenue Sunday morning, unconscious from a skull fracture.

Slover previously had visited a tavern at 2142 Madison streeet with Mrs. Marie A. Fisher, 38, another WPA project writer, who lives at the same address as Slover. There he played the piano. A man the bartender called Stanley offered Slover a drink if he'd play "Silent Night." Mrs. Fisher slapped the stranger and the bartender.

Mrs. Fisher was questioned yesterday by Irwin Clorfene, assistant state's attorney. She said she arrived home ahead of Slover and shortly afterward looked out a window and saw passers-by helping him. Mrs. Fisher and her son, John, 19, were held for the inquest today. A friend, Henry Weltz, 2210 Warren boulevard, unemployed baker, who had accompanied them to the tavern, had remained there, police found.

Yellow Kid Weil Returned to New York in Oil Fraud

Joseph [The Yellow Kid] Weil said good-by to Chicago yesterday. He left for New York City in custody of Edward Sullivan, a deputy United States marshal. Following his arrest here last week, it was learned Weil had been indicted in 1934 in connection with an oil stock fraud case in which Warren Edmunds, a New York City advertising executive, lost $4,000. Weil's removal was ordered last Thursday.

VOTERS' AVERAGE AGE IS ABOUT 40, SURVEY SHOWS

Bearing on Presidential Election Studied.

The candidacy of Thomas E. Dewey for the presidency has brought to the fore the question: "Will his youth be an advantage or a disadvantage in getting votes? Dewey is 37 years old; one of his possible opponents in the 1940 election, Vice President Garner, is 71.

Statisticians and election experts are unable or unwilling to hazard any predictions. All they can say is that a large proportion of the electorate is composed of persons to whom 37 years would not seem unduly immature.

The best information available is that the average age of the voters of the United States is about 40. Probably more than 50 per cent of the total vote cast will come from persons under that age.

Prof. Harold Gosnell of the department of political science at the University of Chicago has estimated the voting ages, based on a survey of 6,000 votes cast in a Chicago election. The following were the group ages:

21 to 29 years	28.4 per cent
30 to 39	27.9 per cent
40 to 49	20.4 per cent
50 to 59	14 per cent
Over 60	9.3 per cent

There are no national statistics on the ages of voters, and many observers hold that the middle aged are more faithful about going to the polls than voters who are extremely young.

Eight Million Come of Age.

For instance, it was estimated that 8,000,000 young people became 21 between 1932 and 1936. About the same number will mature between 1936 and 1940. But the Educational Research bureau has expressed the opinion that only 5,000,000 will vote—that the others will disqualify themselves or fail to go to the polls. This last 3,000,000 would form a fruitful field of endeavor for any presidential candidate.

Altho the "first voters" are not so enthusiastic about voting as the population as a whole—about 55 per cent of all the population over 21 do cast ballots—there still is evidence that the preponderance of power rests with those under or near 40.

Surveys Corroborate Estimate.

Prof. Gosnell's figures were corroborated by a survey made at Ann Arbor, Mich., which found the average voting age was 40. Austin, Tex., in one election, showed averages somewhat higher: 44 years for women, 46 for men.

The Young Republican organization estimated in 1936 that voters between 21 and 36 years old cast 42 per cent of the total vote of the country, which is in general agreement with the figures of Prof. Gosnell.

Census figures show that [in 1930] the total population eligible to vote was 67,288,000. The census also indicated that the number of prospective voters under 40 years of age was about 38,000,000.

ROOSEVELT WISHES ITALIANS HAPPINESS AND PEACE FOR 1940

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26 (AP).—President Roosevelt, in an exchange of New Year's greetings with King Victor Emmanuel of Italy, expressed hope today that Italy would remain at peace.

The king cabled the President: "I beg you to accept, Mr. President, the very cordial good wishes which I express, on the eve of the New Year, for the people of the United States and for you personally."

Mr. Roosevelt replied: "I deeply appreciate your majesty's cordial greetings and assure you that in the name of the American people I am happy to reciprocate your kindly wishes. May the New Year have in store for you and the Italian people the peace and happiness which we all so greatly desire."

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THE NEIGHBORS By George Clark

"It worries me the way she's been neglecting her music, but I suppose this is just as important."

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A NAPOLEON OF CHEMISTRY

By CALEB

LIKE Napoleon, an indomitable fighter—and like him, ultimately lifted to the top flights of fame—the Frenchman whose achievements we salute today was unlike the "Little Emperor" in that all his battles were bloodless, all his victories won against disease, all his triumphs notable for advancing the safety and longevity of mankind.

One hundred and seventeen years ago today he was born, the son of a tanner, in the town of Dole Jura. After schooling at the Quartier Latin, in Paris, he entered the Royal College of Besancon; and at 18 won his *bachelier es lettres*, at 20 his *baccalaureat es sciences*.

We see him next, a studious youth of 21, attending the lectures of J. B. Dumas, at the Ecole Sorbonne, and redoubling his interest in the study of chemistry. Five years later came his first startling research—the artificial production of racemic acid—for which he was awarded the ribbon of the Legion of Honour. In that year (1848) he became professor of physics at Dijon; the year following, professor of chemistry at Strasbourg, where he married Mlle. Laurent—who proved an ideal wife and helpmate.

Still advancing, we find him at 32 dean of the new Faculty of Sciences at Lille—and it was here he discovered the cause of fermentation in beer and wine, saving the day for one of France's foremost industries. Three years later, as director of scientific studies at the Ecole Normale in Paris, he proved fermentation to be the result of micro-organisms. Exposure to air he noted hastened lactic and alcoholic fermentation; and by 1864 he had demonstrated the presence of such bacteria in the everyday atmosphere.

At 42 this unique scientist, whose constant inspiration was work, was acclaimed the foremost chemist of his time. Lord Lister adapted his findings and revolutionized surgery; and by 1868 he had conquered, through isolating its two causative bacilli, silkworm disease, and salvaged another priceless industry. Stricken with semi-paralysis at 46, he continued his researches undaunted; five years later, was made a member of the French Academy of Medicine; received a life pension in 1874 from the National Assembly; in 1877, established the germ theory; conquered anthrax and chicken cholera by vaccination; and finally startled the world, in 1885-8, with his preventive and curative treatments for rabies in dogs and hydrophobia in humans . . . mortality from the latter disease dropping to less than 1 per cent.

Louis Pasteur died quietly near St. Cloud, France, on Sept. 28, 1895, aged 73. Rich in years and recognition, his name has since become a household word throughout the civilized world. Today, the birth anniversary of one of humanity's noblest benefactors, it is an honor to pay his achievements this passing tribute.

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HENRY DOHERTY, HEAD OF CITIES SERVICE, IS DEAD

Inventor, Promoter, and Financier 69 Years Old.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 26 [Special].—Henry L. Doherty, head of the Cities Service company, died in Temple university hospital here tonight of pneumonia. He was 69 years old.

Henry L. Doherty.

Mrs. Doherty and W. A. Jones, executive vice president of Cities Service, were with the multi-millionaire financier, promoter, and inventor when he died. Doherty had suffered from arthritis for the last 12 years. He was stricken by pneumonia recently.

In Utilities 57 Years.

Doherty was associated in utilities for 57 years. He was born in Columbus, O., May 15, 1870. When 12 years old he became an office boy. In the eight years, 1882-'90, when he worked for the Columbus Gas company, Doherty devoted every possible minute to study, his two principal subjects being gas and electricity.

In 1890 he began to move about and for the next 15 years was chief engineer or manager of gas, electric or traction companies in various cities, among them Madison, Wis.; St. Paul, San Antonio, and Denver. In 1905 he organized Henry L. Doherty & Co., bankers and operators of public utilities corporations, and five years later he formed the Cities Service company. The latter took over supervision of public utilities corporations, while the original firm of Henry L. Doherty & Co. devoted itself to the banking and investment business.

On the eve of the 1929 crash in Wall street Cities Service had assets of more than $900,000,000 covering power, light, gas, and oil properties in 33 states and several foreign countries. Its books listed more than 450,000 owners of its securities. Its physical properties included 4,600 producing oil wells, 900 miles of pipe lines, 300 tank cars and 11 ocean going tankers. It possessed equipment to generate 536,000 kilowatts of electricity. It owned 1,700 natural gas wells.

Inventions Boost Efficiency.

Doherty inventions added to the efficiency of these properties. He patented a cooler system for preparing and condensing artificial gas; a fuel economizer for use in the manufacture of coal gas; improved methods for distillation of petroleum and recovery of by-products: appliances for washing and drying glass and brass; devices for remote control of lamps in night display signs and a lime kiln. He also pioneered in the merchandising of household appliances by public utility companies as a means of increasing the consumption of electricity and gas.

In 1931 Doherty acquired the first of large Florida interests and was credited with playing a large part in reviving that state's tourist business. Since retirement from active direction of hotels and resorts in Florida, control has rested in George N. MacDonald of New York.

Wed When 58 Years old.

Doherty's devotion to business kept him a bachelor until he was well pass his 58th birthday. Then his marriage was secret, so far as the public was concerned, for several months. The ceremony took place December 31, 1928, in Toronto, Canada. Mrs. Doherty, the widow of Percy Frank Eames, a former official of the International Harvester company, was 40 year old.

His philanthropies were numerous but he shunned publicity. His organization directed the birthday balls, with proceeds amounting to several million dollars going to the crippled children's foundation in Warm Springs, Ga.

Doherty belonged to many civic clubs, engineering and scientific societies. The American Gas Light association awarded him the first Beall gold medal for a paper on "Gas and Fuel" in 1898.

Circus to Aid Crippled Children

(Story in adjoining column.)

Doris, 9 years old, and Lena, 12, two little patients at the Shriners' Hospital for Crippled Children, which will benefit from circus opening Saturday night. [TRIBUNE Photo.]

THREE BONDHOLDERS PROTEST SHAW'S PAY AS TRACTION ADVISER

An objection to the payment of salary and expenses to Walter A. Shaw, traction adviser of the federal court, was filed in the court yesterday in behalf of three bondholders owning $16,000 of surface lines' bonds.

The petition, prepared by Attorney Charles P. Schwartz, objected to Judge James H. Wilkerson's order of Dec. 20 directing payment of $20,000 for expenses of Shaw and his staff and $10,000 to Shaw's attorney, William J. Froelich, for the period from Aug. 15 to Dec. 15. The order would have become effective today if no objections had been raised.

Yesterday's complaint asserted that the court's appointment of Shaw was illegal, that his fees were excessive, and that his services had not contributed to the conservation of the surface lines' properties. Shaw was appointed by Judge Wilkerson Dec. 17, 1937, to make plans for unification of the surface and elevated lines. He was allowed a drawing account of $2,500 a month, plus additional sums for office and staff expenses. Eighty per cent of these amounts are paid by the surface lines and 20 per cent by the elevated lines.

PETRILLO DENIES ISSUING SHOW DELETION ORDER

James C. Petrillo, president of the Chicago Federation of Musicians, denied last night that he had threatened to close two shows in Chicago in which mention was made of John L. Lewis, head of the Congress of Industrial Organizations. Petrillo said he had merely objected to use of Lewis' name. It was apparent, however, that the theater operators took Petrillo's objections seriously for references to Lewis which had been in the script previously were omitted from the opening of George White's "Scandals" in the Erlange theater and from "The Man Who Came to Dinner," in the Harris theater. Petrillo's union is an affiliate of the American Federation of Labor.

THE BRAVE HELP THE BRAVER IN SHRINER CIRCUS

Crippled Children Outdo Daredevils in Courage.

BY DORIS LOCKERMAN.

It takes nerve to dance with a Bengal tiger, and putting one's head into his mouth is plainly reckless.

Yet this and 63 other acts of daring will be presented nightly at the Shrine winter circus. The show, which opens Saturday night in the International Amphitheater, 42d and Halsted streets, will continue two weeks.

And another kind of courage is practiced in the Shriners Hospital for Crippled Children at 2211 Oak Park avenue. It is the daily battle of doctors, nurses, and children against deformity, paralysis, and diseases of the bone.

Show Finances Hospital.

The money people pay to see the animal trainer and the trapeze artists will be used to help the handicapped children. The Shrine circus is the major means of financing the Chicago unit of the hospital, which admits crippled children of all races and denominations whose parents are unable to pay for surgical and medical treatment for them.

There are 60 children in the Shriners hospital. They look forward to lives of usefulness because of the treatment they are receiving there. Three staff specialists and many consulting physicians man the hospital and clinics, where more than 200 patients are cared for each year and 500 others come to the clinic regularly for attention.

The hospital is a gay place, surrounded by gardens and trees and decorated for normal, every day living. There are murals on the walls and colorful playrooms with glowing fireplaces. This week Christmas trees are twinkling in the hospital and toys are tossed about on the beds. The hospital not only provides orthopedic attention for its small patients but it also teaches them how to play and enjoy their playmates.

Bravery? A Child Leads Them!

"I used to be ashamed of my club foot," one girl said yesterday as she leaned on crutches: "I didn't want anybody to see me. But now I've learned that many other girls and boys are worse off than I am, and they have a good time."

School in the two cheerful classrooms was dismissed yesterday because of the vacation period. It was rest period and the gymnasium was deserted. The brace room, where hundreds of special shoes, braces, and walking devices are made each year, was closed.

But in one room several girls, who suffered from spastic paralysis, leaned on steel supports and learned how to control their muscles. Others beside them exercised atrophied arms in water. The boys sat together in another room, one telling the story of Christmas.

These children won't see the man dance with the tiger next week or see the bareback riders turn somersaults in the air. But, in the words of a nurse: "We hope everybody else does. And there are at least 40 needy children on our waiting list who hope so, too."

KANKAKEE WAR VETERAN DIES.

Kankakee, Ill., Dec. 26 [Special].—Charles R. Langman, 48 years old, a world war veteran of Kankakee, died last night in Veterans' hospital at Dwight. He served two years in the United States army medical corps. The funeral will be here on Thursday. Surviving are two sons, a daughter, and three brothers.

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PROBE OF STATE GAMBLING LAWS LAUNCHED BY BAR

Wholesale Dismissal of Defendants Cited.

Members of the Chicago Bar association's committee on the administration of criminal justice yesterday appointed a special subcommittee to investigate the legal aspects of gambling in Illinois.

The subcommittee, which is headed by Attorney Edwin W. Burch, announced that its study of the state's gambling laws and of precedents set in gambling cases by the higher courts will be three-fold.

1. The committee will determine what type of evidence is necessary to win court convictions under present gambling laws.

2. The question of what constitutes legal search and seizure under the gambling laws will be studied.

3. The proper methods of making arrests in gambling cases will be determined.

Five to Form Committee.

Daniel F. Murphy, a former Chicago police captain who is a practicing attorney, and Attorney Thomas J. Johnson Jr., an expert on criminal law, were appointed members of the subcommittee. Two more members will be added later.

Burch said the three points on which his subcommittee will concentrate its investigation have long been stumbling blocks in trials of gambling cases in Illinois. He said hundreds of defendants have been discharged because police failed to obtain proper evidence for conviction, and other hundreds of cases have been thrown out of court on the grounds of illegal search and seizure because police had no warrants for their raids.

The proper method of making arrests in gambling cases also will form an important part of the study, Burch said.

Month's Study Planned.

"My committee hopes to have its investigation completed within the next month," Burch said. "Its report will be presented to the Chicago Bar association and will be made public to show exactly what the laws governing gambling in Illinois are. Such study has long been needed."

Judge Jay A. Schiller of the Racket court, where Chicago's gambling cases are tried, two weeks ago asserted that it was futile if not hypocritical to attempt to suppress handbook betting on horse races in the state. He proposed the appointment of a public commission to devise means of regulating gambling.

Judge Schiller called attention to the fact that, altho police gambling squads made an average of 20 handbook raids a day during 1939, the net result was only 1 conviction thus far this year.

THE CRIME CLOCK

Chicago's Record Since Jan. 1

"Half of all the crimes in Cook county are committed by repeaters."—The Chicago Crime Commission.

WOMAN SLAYER OF MOTHER HELD TO GRAND JURY

A coroner's jury recommended yesterday that Mrs. Anna Barton, 66 years old, be held to the grand jury on a charge of murder. The jury's report expressed the opinion that she was temporarily insane when she strangled her mother, Mrs. Mary Seidel, 90, on the day before Christmas.

The slaying occurred in the home of Mrs. Barton's daughter, Mrs. Beatrice Haila, 3552 Evergreen avenue, with whom the two older women lived.

Mrs. Barton said she had planned to kill her mother and herself because they were a burden. She expressed regret that her daughter had prevented her from taking her own life. Mrs. Barton said her mother whispered:

"That's all right, we all have rest now," just before Mrs. Barton tightened a shawl about her neck.

HUNT PRESSMAN DEATH EVIDENCE; KILLERS KNOWN

Jefferson Park police reported last night that they are continuing their investigating of the killing of Paul Peters. Capt. Herbert Burns believes Peters was killed because of internal warfare in the Printing Pressmen and Assistants' union. Peters was a member of a rebellious group in the union's Franklin local 4. He was shot to death Oct. 31 in front of his home at 3505 North Oak Park avenue. Police assert they know the identities of the assassins, but that more evidence is necessary before arrests can be made.

VOTE TO INDICT DEPUTY AGAIN IN BALLOT FRAUDS

Rasmussen Accused with Eleven Other Persons.

For the second time yesterday the grand jury was reported to have indicted Deputy Coroner Lawrence Rasmussen, Democratic captain of the 15th precinct of the 1st ward. The jury voted three true bills charging Rasmussen and 11 other persons with conspiracy to violate election laws in the three elections held early this year.

Lawrence Rasmussen.

The deputy coroner already was under indictment for vote fraud conspiracy in the Nov. 8, 1938 election. Named with him in that indictment were judges and clerks of election who testified they took orders from him.

Other Officials Accused.

Yesterday the grand jury, under the direction of Assistant State's Attorney Casimir Cwiklinski, voted a true bill against the judges and clerks who worked with Rasmussen in the primary of Feb. 28, the mayoralty election of April 4, and the judicial election of June 5.

The judges and clerks reported named in yesterday's indictments are Peter Salanti, Mrs. Edna Walsh, Mrs. Hattie Anderson, Mrs. Marie McCarthy, James Remlow, Roy Booker, Miss Isabel Harrison, Miss Evelyn Kopman, and Nelson Howarth.

Also accused in the indictments were Emmett Carey and Thomas Hayes, who were identified as assistants to the Democratic precinct captain. The prosecutor explained that the poll officials in Rasmussen's precinct changed every election.

232 Ballots Missing.

For the aldermanic election, the prosecutor said, the books showed that 252 citizens of the Rasmussen precinct had voted for Ald. Michael [Hinky Dink] Kenna, who had no opposition. But no aldermanic ballots were found in the ballot box and it was shown that only 232 ballots were used by the precinct.

The prosecutor said totals entered in the poll books seemed to be guess work, but always they showed that Deputy Coroner Rasmussen had carried his precinct by a margin of two hundred or more votes.

Chief Justice John Prystalski of the Criminal court received a letter yesterday from the Illinois Grand Jurors' association, a group of former members of the investigating body, recommending that a special grand jury be appointed in January to make a general investigation of vote frauds.

TRUSTY FLEES PRISON; CAPTURED IN CHICAGO SHORTLY AFTER ESCAPE

William Carey, 30 years old, a trusty in Joliet penitentiary and chauffeur for Assistant Warden George F. Sehring, was returned to the prison yesterday by Chicago police after four hours of unauthorized liberty.

William Carey.

Carey, who drove away from the prison in the warden's car early in the morning, was seized by Detectives Edward Charvat and Edward O'Brien when he returned to the car which he had parked in front of 710 West 63d street. His mother, Mrs. Nora Liston, lives nearby at 642 West 61st place. Carey, who appeared to have been drinking, protested he had merely driven here to buy some Christmas presents for her.

The trusty, who was scheduled to be released next April 6 after serving a term for larceny, drove home some friends Sehring had entertained at the prison. A guard who accompanied him left the car at the main gate of the prison on the return trip, directing Carey to take the car to a garage a block away. Instead, Carey drove to Chicago.

Purse Snatcher Knows When Not to Be Crippled

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 26 (AP).—Mrs. F. M. Cagle reported to police that she [1] met a man on crutches walking along a downtown street last night, [2] suddenly was tripped by one of the crutches, [3] had her purse, containing $58, snatched as she fell, and [4] watched the man flee swiftly. He carried the crutches in one hand, the purse in the other.

BIGGEST, GAYEST NEW YEAR EVE IN DECADE EXPECTED

But Chicagoans Will Find Revelry Is Cheaper.

Chicago's New Year's eve will be noisier—from advance indications—than it has been in a decade. It will also be cheaper.

Fully half of the New Year revelers are expected to gather in State street [in the street's right!] to scream the new year in. Thousands of others will congregate in ballrooms and bars to dance and drink it in. It is this latter group whose noise and expenditures are reckoned in advance.

There will be far more hotel and night club revelers this year, if advance reservations are a correct gauge. Many of these, to the surprise of the hotels, et al., have been paid in advance. No one dares estimate how much will be spent on liquor, as few of the night's charges include as much as a sip of wine, but as one hotel man said, "You can bet it'll be plenty."

Top Price $10 Per Person.

The top price on revelry this year is $10 a person, a $2.50 drop from 1938. It provides dinner [or breakfast], dancing, a floor show, weird little hats to put on your heads and strange, distorted toys with which to make noise.

Only one hotel and two night clubs are charging $10. The average price elsewhere is $7.50 a person [always plus tax], while prices range from $3.50 to $6 in spots where formal attire is not a necessity. One hotel, which plans to take care of 2,100 persons in two ballrooms, is charging $6 a person and will give a bottle of champagne to each two persons.

Offer Extra Inducements.

Two hotel night clubs have a minimum charge rather than a flat price for the evening. Another gives you a dinner and a gay reception of the New Year for $7.50, but offers, as a bargain, all this and breakfast, too [at another, jointly owned hotel], for $10.

Everywhere reservations are booming. Usually paid reservations do not begin to come in until three days after Christmas, but this year every hotel official seems elated over early payments. They speak of "a tremendous year," of reservations "60 per cent ahead of our best year," and of "more reservations now than we've had in 10 years." All in all, it looks like the boys—and the girls—are going to have a little fun.

ANNOY WOMAN JUROR WHO HELPED CONVICT ST. CHARLES SLAYER

Mrs. Elsie Pingry of Crystal Lake, one of the jurors who sentenced Charles Allen Dain to 28 years in prison, notified Sheriff Lester Edinger of McHenry county yesterday that she is being annoyed. On Christmas day a stone was thrown thru the window of the hotel she and her husband operate. Yesterday she received a postal card on which there was a strip of tape. Beneath the tape was printed: "Twenty-eight years. Hope you enjoy Xmas."

Dain, 15 years old, was an inmate of St. Charles School for Boys. He killed Lester Groth, a McHenry county farmer to whose farm he had been assigned, on Sept. 26. The killer was sentenced to prison last Thursday in the McHenry County Circuit court.

JAILS SALESMAN FOR FAILURE TO SUPPORT MOTHER

Charles Klein, jewelers' supplies salesman, was ordered to the county jail yesterday until he pays arrears of $32 for support of his mother. She is Mrs. Susan Klein, 76 years old, a widow, living at 3321 Lakewood avenue. Klein is 40 years old. He lives at 6206 South Sacramento avenue.

Klein told Judge James G. Gullett of Elizabethtown, sitting in County court, that he needs all the $250 a month he earns for support of his three children, and said another son should be forced to pay the entire cost of supporting their mother.

"The order is for you to pay $8 a month," the judge said. "You should be willing to sacrifice that much for the mother who reared you and five other children."

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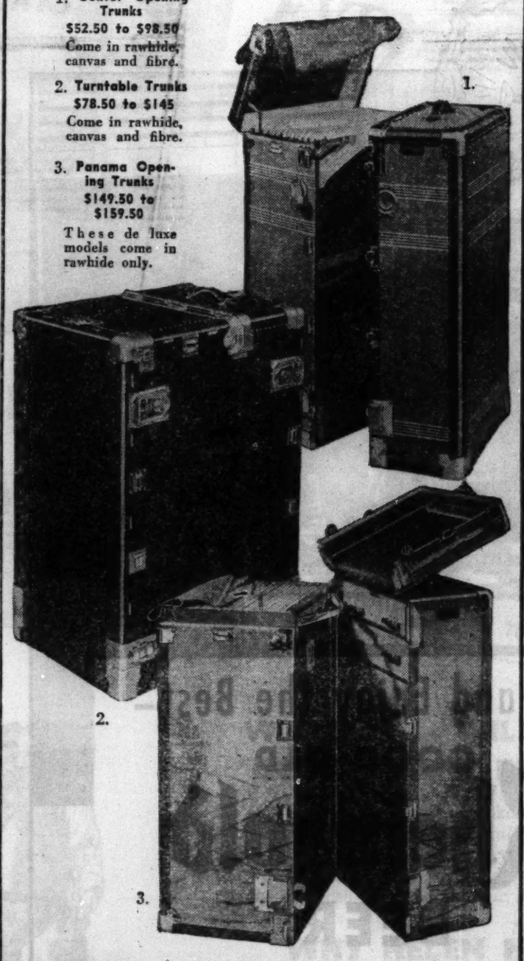

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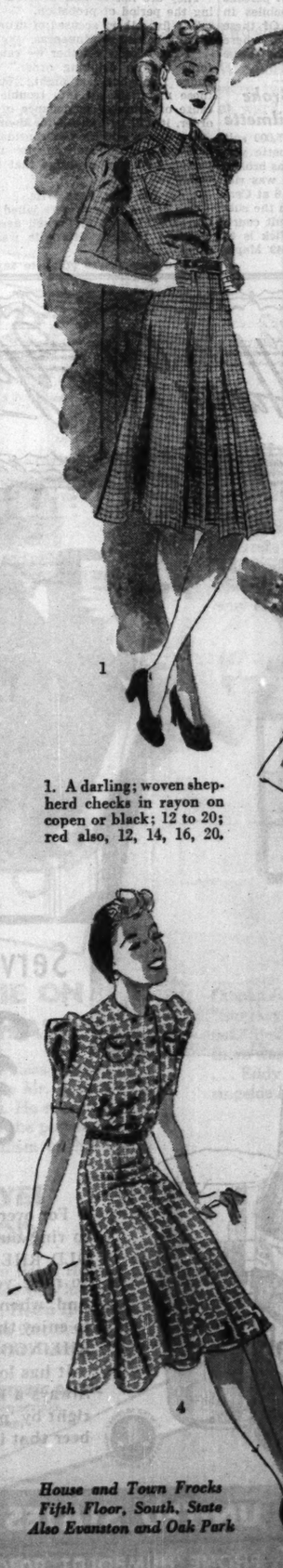

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TEAMSTER UNION AMENDS SUIT TO GET PROTECTION

The Chicago Teamsters Truck and Tractor Drivers and Helpers union, unaffiliated, yesterday filed an amended complaint in Federal court against Leslie G. Goudie, head of the Chicago Teamsters council, and six council members.

The complaining union, whose members work for the city, alleged that the council, affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, carried on a campaign of intimidation and violence. An injunction was asked on the ground that local law enforcing officers were unable or unwilling to furnish protection.

Judge Philip L. Sullivan ruled several weeks ago that the original complaint did not show sufficient lack of protection by local agencies to give the federal government jurisdiction.

RESUME WAGNER ACT HEARING OF BISCUIT CONCERN

Hearings were reopened yesterday before Examiner Guy Van Schaick of the National Labor Relations board on a labor union complaint that the Burry Biscuit corporation fostered a company union in violation of the Wagner act. The company's plant is at 6555 West 65th street.

The complaint was filed by the Cracker and Biscuit Workers' union, local 411, an affiliate of the American Federation of Labor. Attorneys for the company tried last week to settle the case on the ground that the company cannot stand the expense of a long hearing.

The company's request was refused. Attorney Robert Rissman of the NLRB said the hearings will be continued in an attempt to convict the company.

Young Woman Bookkeeper Indicted as Embezzler

South Bend, Ind., Dec. 26 [Special].—Mrs. Nellie Jean Brugh, 20 years old, was held to the federal grand jury today on a charge of embezzling $6,194 from the state bank in Leiters Ford near Rochester, Ind., where she was employed as a bookkeeper until Oct. 31. She was held in jail in lieu of $5,000 bond following her arraignment before United States Commissioner Thad Talcott. Mrs. Brugh's peculations were said to have extended over a period of two years. Her husband, Gene Brugh of Leiters Ford is a farm employé.

PASTOR INJURED IN MIDGET AUTO CRASH NEAR ZION

Chicago Woman Killed in Missouri Accident.

The Rev. David H. Bucks of Milwaukee was seriously injured yesterday when his midget automobile collided with another car in highway 41 near the intersection of route 173 west of Zion. He was taken to the St. Therese hospital in Waukegan. The other driver was Orlet Knutson of St. Pierre, Wis.

Mrs. Anthony De Pasco, 33 years old, 3740 North Leavitt street, was fatally injured and her husband and brother-in-law, Alfonso De Pasco, also of Chicago, were seriously hurt in an automobile collision near Brookfield, Mo. A third car, driven by R. Timmins of Rockford, struck the wrecked cars before the occupants were removed. The De Pascos were on a Christmas visit to Kansas City, Mo.

Child Sees Father Killed.

George De La Mar, 45 years old, 2922 North Damen avenue, a salesman, died in Alexian Brothers hospital early today of injuries suffered last evening when he was struck by an automobile in front of his home. De La Mar's son, George Jr., 2 years old, was keeping his customary watch for his father at the front window. He saw his father struck down, but his mother, Mrs. Margaret De La Mar, said the child did not grasp what had happened. The driver of the car was Walter Wiegert, 32, of 1958 George street, a machinist. He was held by police on a charge of reckless driving.

Joseph Yukon, 34 years old, 121 Kensington avenue, a laborer, died in the Roseland Community hospital last night of injuries suffered Saturday when his automobile collided with a street car at 117th street and Michigan avenue.

Child Killed Crossing Street.

Dorothy Jablonski, 9 years old, 1941 South Homan avenue, was killed by an automobile early today as she was crossing Madison street at Honoré street to get a street car. She was with her uncle, John Czajka, 14, who was slightly hurt. The driver of the car was Lynn Naples, 226 South Aberdeen street. He took the girl to the county hospital, but she was dead on arrival there.

Vernon Anderson, 58, of 3512 Dora street, Franklin Park, died early today in Oak Park hospital from injuries received on Dec. 23, when his truck was struck by a locomotive on the Indiana Harbor Belt line at Scott street in the suburb.

Matthew Templin, 76 years old, a farmer, died yesterday in a hospital at Harvard, McHenry county, of injuries suffered when he was struck by a hit and run automobile in highway 14, opposite his farm at Big Foot Prairie on Saturday.

Miss Edna Roberts, 34 years old, colored, 3265 Cottage Grove avenue, died in the county hospital last night from injuries received on Dec. 18 when she was struck in front of 3240 Michigan avenue by a car driven by Miss Rosie Durley, 35, colored, of 5128 Prairie avenue.

Warnings Fail to Stop Crash.

Witnesses testified yesterday at an inquest that warning blinker lights and a wigwag signal were working at 5:15 p. m. Christmas night when a Wabash railroad passenger train struck an automobile, killing five members of one family. The accident occurred at 95th street, near 51st avenue, Oak Lawn. Those killed were George Clark, 33 years old, 4313 Towle avenue, Hammond; his wife, Elizabeth, 33; his mother, Anna, 64, and the Clarks' children, Jackie, 10, and George Jr., 12.

Over the three day Christmas weekend, traffic accidents took a total of 438 lives thruout the nation, according to an Associated Press survey. In Chicago alone the toll was 24. From Friday midnight to Monday midnight, 310 persons were injured in 687 accidents.

Up to 4 p. m. yesterday 907 persons had been killed by automobiles in Cook county since Jan. 1. Of these 694 were killed in Chicago, where 22,209 were injured in the same period.

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Chicago's 1939 Traffic Toll

More than 98% of the city's automobile fatalities are of a nature physically impossible on an urban superhighway.

Charges Auto Jolt Broke Her Back; Sues Wilmette

Mrs. Julia Fick filed a $75,000 suit against the village of Wilmette yesterday, charging her back was broken when the car in which she was riding struck a hole last April 6 at Central avenue and 4th street in the suburb. The suit, filed in Circuit court, charges negligence. Mrs. Fick is 45 years old. She lives at 2049 Maple avenue, Evanston.

ACCUSED TIPSY DRIVERS ORDERED TO QUIT DRINKING

2 Jailed; 118 Motorists Seized Over Holiday.

A crowd of 118 defendants, comprising one of the largest calls in the history of the Safety court, faced Judge Frank E. Donoghue yesterday after the three day Christmas rush of arrests over Saturday, Sunday, and Monday. Lawyers, clerks, and bailiffs added to the courtroom crush.

Judge Donoghue said it was encouraging to find only 17 motorists accused of driving while intoxicated. But if any bleary eyes brightened at this, the glow soon disappeared.

"Seventeen is too many," said the judge. "If you feel you're becoming intoxicated, get a sober driver or get a taxi. Don't wind up here."

Two Sentenced to Jail.

He then sentenced two defendants to jail, and put 10 of the remaining 15 drivers on probation for periods of from three months to a year. Driving licenses were suspended in these cases, and for those whose probation was for six months or a year Judge Donoghue added another proviso:

They are not to take a drink during the period of probation.

The five others accused of drunken driving gained continuances.

"I don't know whether we can enforce the no drinking order," said Judge Donoghue last night, "but if these motorists get into trouble because of drinking in defiance of the order, it will be too bad for them."

The judge said he was considering having probationers go to their pastors and sign a pledge that they would not drink.

Jail Him, Says Wife.

One of the tipsy drivers jailed was Clarence Flood, 3512 Parnell avenue, who got 15 days. His wife was in court.

"I suppose you're going to say he is the best husband in the world, and you want me to let him off," Judge Donoghue said to Mrs. Flood.

"Not at all, your honor," she answered. "Send him to jail. He's nothing but trouble to me."

A ten day sentence went to Bruno Stolarski, 2853 West 21st street, on a charge of drunken driving. He ignored a traffic policeman's signal at Marshall boulevard and 16th street and was arrested by a police squad. Judge Donoghue said Stolarski's offense was the more flagrant because it occurred near the state industrial home for the blind, 1900 Marshall boulevard.

Of the other motorists arraigned, 61 were given continuances, 10 were put on probation, and seven were assessed small fines. Judge Donoghue dismissed 17 and charges against three others were withdrawn. Three asked jury trials and their cases were transferred to the Jury court.

ENGINEER KILLED; WIFE, 2 CHILDREN INJURED IN CRASH

De Kalb, Ill., Dec. 26 (AP).—P. E. Beck, 55 years old, of De Kalb, engineer of the Anaconda Wire company, was killed tonight and his wife and two children were critically injured when their automobile was hit by a freight train of the Milwaukee road at a crossing 5 miles northwest of here.

St. Mary's hospital authorities said Mrs. Beck, 50 years old, was suffering from shock and possible skull fracture. A son, George, had a broken leg, broken arm and skull injuries. The daughter, Bonnie, was suffering from a possible skull fracture.

Chicagoan's Mother Killed in Canadian Auto Accident

MONTREAL, Que., Dec. 26 (AP).—Mrs. Louise Audet, 85 years old, of Montreal, was injurred fatally tonight when an automobile driven by her son, Dr. Emile Audet of Chicago, struck a post in nearby Lachine and caught fire. Audet escaped with minor cuts and bruises.

CITY SEEKS RFC LOAN ON AWARDS AGAINST COUNTY

Asks $3,136,914 Court Debt in One Lump.

City officials disclosed yesterday that they are negotiating with the Reconstruction Finance corporation to borrow $3,136,914 on judgments for that amount which the city obtained against Cook county for Municipal court costs.

If the loan is made the city can get the full amount of the judgments, or a large percentage of it, in a lump sum. Otherwise the city must wait for its money, since the county has arranged to pay the judgments in instalments over a period of 10 years. The payment contemplated under the county's tentative budget for 1940 is $640,000.

Debt Accumulates Since 1931.

The county's debt has been accumulating since 1931, when the late Mayor Anton J. Cermak obtained legislation requiring the county to pay the city the costs of Municipal court cases prosecuted under state laws when defendants won dismissals or acquittals. Costs of such cases are listed as $8 a defendant.

The city has invoked the legislation to get judgments for the court costs of all the intervening period. Legality of the judgments has been upheld by the Illinois Supreme court.

The plan of borrowing the money from the government, with the judgments as security, is under discussion in correspondence between Joseph F. Grossman, first assistant corporation counsel, and the RFC. He has written the RFC a letter explaining that the judgments are final.

Bond Issue Suggested.

In the letter, he said that the county can pay the judgments from the tax levy or by the issuance of funding bonds. The county, he wrote, is well within its bonded indebtedness limits, so that there would be no difficulty in selling the bonds.

Controler Robert B. Upham confirmed the disclosure that negotiations with the government are under way. He said that he had set up a tentative item of $2,000,000 as appropriable revenue in the city's 1940 budget in anticipation of obtaining some of the judgment funds.

Upham announced that $1,200,000 in the sinking fund for the refunding of 1934 bonds will be used to retire bonds due in January. He received no offers when he advertised to repurchase the 1934 bonds, which are now selling above par.

'M' ON ILLINOIS AUTO LICENSE PLATE MEANS PUBLICLY OWNED CAR

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 26 (AP).—Secretary of State Edward J. Hughes explained today what the letter "M" means on some Illinois 1940 auto license plates.

It's a new designation for state, county, or municipally owned cars and was adopted, Hughes said, because members of the legislature wanted a way to make an accurate count of such vehicles.

The secretary said the accounting department of his office also would be aided by the new system, inasmuch as state, county, and city cars used for official purposes are licensed at a flat $2 fee. Henceforth these licenses will be easily identifiable in the records, Hughes said.

The letter system will not apply to police cars detailed to special duty requiring secrecy.

URGE HOLDING OF DEATH CAR DRIVER TO JURY

Marion J. Watts, 28 years old, 4870 Winthrop avenue, an automobile salesman, was recommended held to the grand jury on a charge of manslaughter yesterday by a coroner's jury. Watts admitted he was driving the automobile that struck Miss Susan Koetz, 35, of 1727 Thorndale avenue, at Ravenswood and Peterson avenues Saturday night. Miss Koetz, a supervisor in a printing company, died en route to the hospital. Watts, who did not stop after the accident, was traced thru the license number on his car. It was issued to Miss Ellen Grubb, Decatur, Ill., whom he married three months ago.

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HOW TO CURE HAMS VIRGINIA STYLE

How workers on the Du Page county farm are curing hams Virginia style is told today by Homer Neisz, agricultural editor, in his article on Page 25. In it he gives the famous old Virginia curing recipe and directions for following it.

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LINK HIGH... TO N. Y. S... NICKEL R...

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LINK HIGHERUPS TO N. Y. SUBWAY NICKEL PLUNDER

Dewey Strikes Back at His Official Critics.

New York, Dec. 26 [Special].—The inclusion of higher-ups in a widened investigation of thefts of 30,000,000 subway nickels [$1,500,000] was disclosed today in a feud between District Attorney Thomas E. Dewey's office and the city transportation board.

The battle of words between Dewey's staff and city officials also brought charges of poor management and hints of official incompetence or negligence in the operation of the independent subway system, owned by the city, which was the victim of the nickel looting.

The promise of a widened investigation was regarded as Dewey's reply to city officials who have been sniping at his office over prosecution of the subway thieves. Dewey's chief critic in this connection has been John H. Delaney, chairman of the transportation board, which operates the subway system.

Coin Meters Turned Back.

The disappearance of millions of nickels from subway receipts was disclosed last January. Investigators said subway employés turned back turnstile meters and recorded fewer fares than were collected, pocketing the difference. Dewey estimated the loss at $1,500,000 over a period of six years, but that figure was promptly disputed by Delaney.

Numerous subway employés were ousted and 36 were indicted. Of that number 28 have pleaded guilty and the trials of the remaining eight are scheduled to begin Jan. 2.

In a recent letter, Delaney criticized the prosecutor's office for allegedly delaying prosecutions. He said dismissal trials would begin before the transportation board on Jan. 11 whether Dewey's office acted in the courts or not.

Dewey Assistant Replies.

Paul E. Lockwood, executive assistant to Dewey, replied today in a letter in which he charged that the transportation board failed to take precautions against thievery and that after the thefts became known the board tried to minimize them and hide them from the public.

"The investigation by this office," Lockwood warned, "and the presentation of evidence to the grand jury will continue until final and full responsibility is placed for the inadequacies of railroad management and the failure to protect the city with the elemental precautions known to all rapid transit operators.

"The investigation before the grand jury is also endeavoring to determine whether this failure to protect the public was due to official incompetence, neglect, or some other cause."

Recalls Delay in Action.

Lockwood recalled that the transportation board knew of the nickel thefts as far back as June, 1937, and had filed charges against certain employés, but failed to bring the matter to the attention of the public prosecutor until Dewey demanded such information last January after a newspaper disclosed the lootings.

District Attorney Dewey, candidate for the Republican presidential nomination, left today for Augusta, Ga., to spend a week. He plans to make eight speeches in the next few months.

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ILLINOIS STATE'S ATTORNEYS WILL CONVENE TODAY

The convention of the Illinois State's Attorneys association will open in the Morrison hotel this morning. The prosecutors will be welcomed by Mayor Kelly. Other speakers at the opening session will be Thomas J. Courtney, Cook county state's attorney; George A. Hall, state's attorney of Montgomery county and president of the association; Ward P. Holt, state's attorney of Marion county, who is secretary, and Ordway Hilton, document examiner for the Chicago police scientific crime detection laboratory.

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TODAY IS POST DAY

Can a girl ever make her life over?

Is it possible for a girl with no background, no education, no influential friends, to transform herself from nobody to somebody? In the Post, out today, you will find the unusual story of Myra, a girl with cold-sure confidence and a burning urge to get to the top. How she changed her life and what she did to the one man who loved her, is told in . . .

A Short Story... **"MYRA"**

by **RICHARD SHERMAN**

who wrote "To Mary with Love"

MR. TUTT KIDNAPS THE SHERIFF

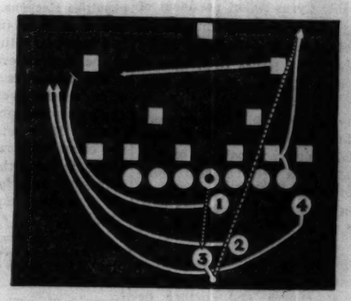
"I'm the law in these parts," said Sheriff Hicks. "You're hidin' a murderer and I want him!" Realizing that you can't stop revolver bullets with legal maxims, Mr. Tutt in his newest adventure, *The King's Whiskers*, demonstrates the superiority of a trigger-mind over a trigger-finger. A new short story in this week's Post, by Arthur Train.

IS RUSSIA WINNING CHINA TOO?

In a newsworthy dispatch from Shanghai, Hallett Abend reports, minutely, about a package of books, maps and Soviet official papers which recently came into his possession; shows how the Soviet government is deliberately nourishing hatred of Japan in Russia; and tells you about the detailed plans already made for the Red invasion of Manchukuo. In this week's Post.

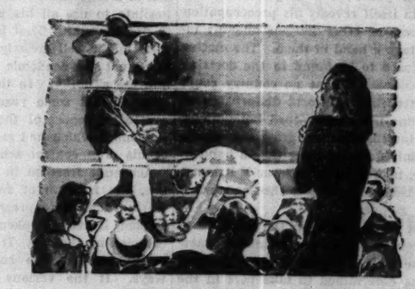
DEATH WAITED 5000 FEET BELOW

Two climbers—one French, the other Czech—faced death unless help reached them on the treacherous slopes of Wunderhorn. And the only climbers who could aid them were two Nazis. Could they forget their countries were at war? Could *you*? Read *The Mountains of the Axis.*



"PERFECT" TENN. TEAM INVADES ROSE BOWL

Ever hear of a team rehearsing its plays 2500 times? So accurate its passers can toss 'em *blindfolded*? Fred Russell this week describes the success formula of Tennessee's Major Bob Neyland in *Touchdown Engineer* and shows why his season score so far is Tenn. 212—Opponents 0.



PAID TO BE K.O.'D IN THE 7TH ROUND

Omaha Jack McCoy had his instructions for his last fight: "Stay seven rounds, then let the champ knock your brains out." But the night before the battle Jack got a crazy idea there was one thing even more important than fighting. . . . Eddy Orcutt brings you the story, bristling with ringside hullabaloo: Read *Wishes of the Family.*

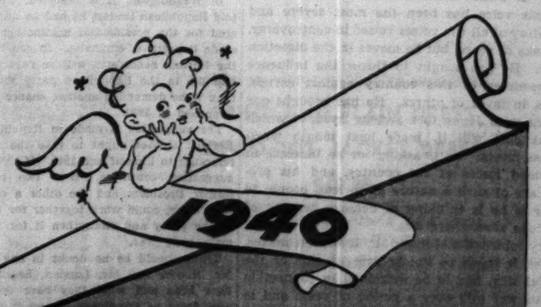
WENDELL L. WILLKIE ON "GOVERNMENT BY HATE"

"Is any government which provokes one class against another entitled to call itself *liberal?*" asks Mr. Willkie in his article, *With Malice Toward None.* He redefines the word in this week's Post, and shows the perverted results of those who found their liberalism on hate.

WHY HELEN HAYES QUIT HOLLYWOOD

What happened in Hollywood to convince Helen Hayes she could never make a success of pictures? Concluding the biography of America's First Actress, Helen Hayes' mother gives you the answer; and tells you the intimate details of her greatest stage success, *Victoria Regina.*

AND . . . WHO KEPT THE CIRCUIT COURT'S REBUKE OF THE NLRB OUT OF THE NEWSPAPERS? See page 22....Also serials, by Clarence Budington Kelland and Leland Jamieson; editorials, poems and a dozen funny cartoons. All in the Post—out today.



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GEORGE WASHINGTON SAID:

"Europe has a set of primary interests which to us have none or a very remote relation. Hence she must be engaged in frequent controversies, the causes of which are essentially foreign to our concerns. Hence, therefore, it must be unwise in us to implicate ourselves by artificial ties in the ordinary vicissitudes of her politics or the ordinary combinations and collisions of her friendships or enmities."—From the Farewell Address.

MR. ROOSEVELT'S FOREIGN ADVENTURES.

Mr. Roosevelt's appointment of Myron C. Taylor as his personal representative to the Vatican with the social rank of ambassador was timed Christmas eve with the release of letters sent to the pope, to George A. Buttrick, president of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, and to Rabbi Cyrus Adler, president of the Jewish Theological seminary. Writing to Dr. Buttrick and Rabbi Adler, Mr. Roosevelt urged them to call at the White House from time to time and discuss with him the problems with which the world is confronted.

Stephen T. Early of the White House secretariat, the chief interpreter of Mr. Roosevelt's sentiments and acts, was at some pains to explain that the appointment of a personal representative with the social rank of ambassador did not mean a resumption of diplomatic relations with the Vatican, which ceased with the unification of modern Italy.

Mr. Taylor, the former chairman of the United States Steel corporation, a communicant of the Protestant Episcopal church and further described as having a Quaker background, is sent to the Vatican to represent Mr. Roosevelt in consultations intended to promote peace and bring about a coöperation with Pope Pius XII. in exploring all possible avenues to the reconciliation of warring nations and also the alleviation of war suffering. In seeking this collaboration Mr. Roosevelt also asks for the spiritual guidance of the representatives of other churches and other faiths in this country.

Mr. Roosevelt's maneuvers in the international field for several years have displayed an ingenuity which in itself reveals his preoccupation with the problems of other nations and his intense desire to take a hand in them. The motive for this is supposed to be found in the doctrine of most internationalists, that no country could expect to be untouched by world disturbance or find itself immune from widespread tribulations. From this the internationalists draw the conclusion that the United States must take a hand in preventing war, take sides in the war if it is not prevented, and become a party to the peace when the war can be stopped.

Mr. Roosevelt has before him the example of Woodrow Wilson, who, as his intimates knew even before the United States became involved in the war, was determined to take part in the making of peace if it were humanly possible for him to reach the council chamber. With Mr. Wilson, as some of his advisers at the time have recorded, the ambition to be a controling figure in the remaking of Europe became an obsession, and the thought that he might be prevented from assuming this historic rôle preyed on his mind. It is apparent that Mr. Roosevelt has inherited these ambitions and is intent upon participation in the affairs of Europe.

Mr. Roosevelt has talked war and he has talked peace. He has addressed himself to the heads of government; he has proposed plans to prevent war; he has used each of the recurrent crises in Europe to attach himself to the issue, and at times his voice has been the most severe and admonitory of all the voices raised in controversy. He speaks of peace, but he moves in the direction of war. He has sought to throw the influence and resources of this country against certain nations, in favor of others. He has brought our relations with Japan to a serious issue, of which a great deal will be made next month when congress meets. He is asking for an increase in the armed forces of the country, and his proposals are of such a nature as to lead people to wonder if he is thinking of defense here or of operations somewhere else.

Every international move Mr. Roosevelt makes, whether it tends to the belligerent side or the peaceful side, has to be examined in connection with his war talk over a period of years and in regard to the open campaign his closest personal supporters and his office holders are making for the third term. His desire to add to his historic stature and to play a great part in tremendous events, his liking for bold strokes, and his fondness for the dramatic breaking of precedents are known to all, and they not only enter into his calculations but they must be considered by the people of the country when they try to understand what he may be about and where his ambitions will lead him.

Mr. Roosevelt is a great believer in his own ability to catch the general public favor and win support by attaching to himself the better emotions of his fellow countrymen. He knows he is adept at teaming up with principles so virtuous that to oppose them would seem to cast a reproach upon the persons who would criticize or examine them for more than appears in an elevating thought. In making his Christmas eve move he may have reflected that by asking for a religious front in support of his policies he would bring the odium theologicum upon his opponents.

Of a national politician engaged in these maneuvers and about to enter the last year of his second term, it would be surmised that he intended to plunge into world affairs, drag his country with him if he found the way, and hope thus to make himself such a commanding and indispensable figure that hardly one still, small voice would be raised against his remaining in the White House as the head of government, seeking a prestige transcending that of any other American who ever held the highest office in the land.

THE SANTA CLAUS BOYS.

The Cook county commissioners had the spirit of Santa Claus in their hearts when they passed their annual appropriations Friday, but the budget they turned out looks more like a New Year's day hangover to the taxpayers. The Democratic machine got all the presents, and the taxpayers, like father on the first of January, get the headache and the bills.

The 1940 corporate budget for the operation of county offices, courts, and charitable institutions is higher than it has been since 1930. That was the year in which shrinking revenues first brought local governments to their senses and forced a brief reign of economy. The coming year can be marked as the one in which the county got back to its old whoopee scale, altho its lapse from budgetary sanity has been progressing for several years past.

The commissioners went off the deep end with their eyes wide open. The presidents of the Civic Federation and the Chicago Real Estate board were among those who sought to impress on them their precarious financial condition, and urged them to go slow. The commissioners' reaction to this sound advice was to pile a couple of hundred thousand dollars onto the appropriations already set up.

There has already been sufficient comment on the burden forced on the commissioners by the committee on help of the Circuit court. Mr. Graham Aldis of the Civic Federation, in his appearance at the budget hearing, presented figures showing that the number of fee office jobs, dictated by the judges, increased a little over 16 per cent from the low years of the economy period to the present, while the number of employés in offices directly controled by the county board has increased by 33 per cent in the same period. The commissioners are certainly in no position to throw rocks at the judges.

The county government is bound to go broke in time. The date of its collapse will be the date when the present abnormal flow of tax penalties slackens. It is noteworthy that to get even a paper balance of its 1940 budget the board had to set its estimate of revenue from penalties at the highest level in history.

The county is giving about 50 cents' worth of service for every dollar that it spends. This applies to charitable institutions as well as public offices. Their action on the budget shows that the commissioners have no regard for economy. The only thing that will force them to give the taxpayers more for their money and the Democratic political machine less will be a shortage of money.

ACADEMIC FREEDOM.

At the demand of Secretary Wallace, the college regents of New Mexico have discharged Mr. George R. Quesenberry from his position as extension director. It seems that in Mr. Wallace's judgment Mr. Quesenberry had been "positively hostile" to the federal farm program. Mr. Wallace couldn't tolerate that and threatened to cut off all federal farm aid from the state unless Mr. Quesenberry was removed. And so Mr. Wallace got his way.

Mr. Wallace becomes indignant at any suggestion that his administration has dictatorial ambitions and tendencies, but when he found himself in disagreement with a state official he didn't hesitate to use all his power to force the state to fire the man. That is a matter which congress might well investigate, but whether it does so or not the academic associations should look into the situation. In this connection it may be recalled that some years ago Mr. Wallace suppressed a report of the agricultural bureau of economics which had cast doubt upon the value of his crop control schemes.

Academic freedom in this country is, in practice, the freedom of radicals, and even of extreme radicals, to preach their doctrines. It is seldom, if ever, invoked as a protection against coercion by radicals. It didn't save Glenn Frank at Wisconsin. The rule ought to work both ways. If the various professorial associations really believe in freedom in academic life they ought to be particularly alert against coercion by government officials who use the immense economic power of the public treasury to control opinion and conduct. It will be interesting to observe whether any of the academic associations takes an interest in the Quesenberry case.

Editorial of the Day

MR. LANDON AND MR. HOOVER.

[Sioux City Journal.]

In Washington, it is reported, Alfred M. Landon told Republican leaders he had no desire to be considered for the presidential nomination next year. He made it positive, emphatic. In consequence of which the Kansan henceforth will be regarded by the rank and file in the Republican party much more highly than if he demanded another chance in spite of what happened in 1936.

The suggestion is made in Republican circles that Herbert Hoover ought to take the same stand with reference to himself and 1940. If that were done, the suggestion continues, those two men, the one a former President and the other a candidate for the high office, could work together for the best interests of the party and strengthen it for the fight it is to make next year.

There should be no doubt in any one's mind that Mr. Hoover and Mr. Landon, because of what they have been and what they have done, ought to be considered as prominent in any group of Republican leaders. Both men ought to have valuable contributions to make in the Republican party's interest. They certainly could make a more valuable contribution if they worked together in harmony than if they opposed each other. Mr. Landon definitely has shown where he stands. Let Mr. Hoover do the same thing, and also let him take the same attitude toward 1940.

NO CHANGES.

Jim—For whom are you working now?

Tim—Same concern—wife and five kids.—Arcanum Bulletin.

A LINE O' TYPE OR TWO

How to the Line, let the quips fall where they may. Reg. U.S. Pat. Office

BETWEEN TWO HOLIDAYS.

The first letter we picked up out of the post-Christmas mail bag said: "Now let's hear what you think about the abandonment of football at the University of Chicago." Pardon us; we are not yet capable of polite conversation on the subject.

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But it reminded us of two entirely unrelated matters: the scuttling of the Admiral Graf Spee, and a curious motto on an old Scottish coat of arms—"I mak sicker."

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We are wondering if "The Man Who Came to Dinner" was written in the mood of good clean fun or a grudge fight. But whatever the spirit of this hilarious lampoon, Alexander Woollcott seems to be able to take it.

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Our Christmas broke a 50 year record: Nobody gave us a book.

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The last week-end contained two Christmas eves, on Saturday and Sunday nights, which was all to the good; but if the next contains two New Year's eves, we're afraid to face it.

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The Chinese are said to have a custom of starting the new year by paying all their debts. European nations laugh at them.

TEDDY BEAR'S LAMENT.

I lie on the shelf forgotten and lone,
My squeak has died down to a sigh;
A new teddy bear has taken my throne,
My young master passes me by.

I think of the days when he loved me the best,
When he took me wherever he went;
But now I'm left here to lie with the rest,
The old toys, all broken and bent.

O, surely he jests! and silly my fright,
So I'll wait here as only I can
Till he comes in remorse on some lonely night
And happily clasps me again.

Imogene Locke.

The Duke Finds an Admirer.

I'm giving the "Line Museum" the once over when 2 gals give me tha elbow. I mootch over a bit thinking they're gonna say something nice about my end of the exhibit. One of the dames was an old battle axe with a face like a hippopotamus an feet ala Charlie Chaplin. The other sweetie should be in pictures. I aint seen a Follies girl that could hold a candle to her; in fact, if some charmers has got oomph, she rates "oomph-oomph." Get a load of some choice lingo:

HIPPYPOT: Bet that Collins bird is an ole meany. [Maybe you waste-basketed her.]

OOMPH: I have a hunch Quizzicuss is a handsome sheik.

HIPPYPOT: That C. O. R. gives me a swell pain and it aint in the neck.

OOMPH: To me Duke Bakrak's stuff is tha depth of something, but I cant think what. When I see a mess of his tripe, I juss skip it.

HIPPYPOT: I like his stuff better than anything else, he's so humorous. Duke Bakrak.

P. S. Hippo wasn't exactly so bad looking, and maybe she's poor an had to wear her ole man's shoes.

P. P. S. After a 2nd look, Oomph didn' have what it takes.

Another Common Error Bites the Dust.

Cheap reprints of the Sherlock Holmes stories are responsible for the wide dissemination of an error in one of the titles. Please do not say "The Sign of the Four" [Dec. 20]. It is "The Sign of Four." Doyle himself called attention to this common error in his "Memories and Adventures," published in 1924. See page 73.

Walter R. Spofford.

LORD OF LANGUAGE.

[*To Alfred Tennyson, 1809-'92.*]

There is a quality in sound of words
That poets put above melodic tone;
A haunting music struck on mental chords,
Of arias profound, to ear unknown,
Shaping the dreams that from the meaning spring—
Sustained, exciting, inner melodies,
Too delicate but for imagining—
The echoes of suggested rhapsodies.
Such is the music stirring mortal souls
That Tennyson with witching baton raised,
Conductor of the language that enthralls,
Upon the heights where late the sunlight blazed
Unto that mountain air whence comes his call,
How few ascend, tho room enough for all!

E. W. F.

Ghosts of the Press Club.

The last time that I saw or heard of the Chicago Press club its ghost was hiding over Tom Donnelly's pawn shop on Dearborn street. I went there to participate in a Father Marquette anniversary program, sponsored by Barney Mullaney. There was nothing and nobody there—except Wallace Rice—to remind me of the old club when I mingled with the jovial crew in the den at the northeast corner of Clark and Madison streets, over the drug store. The only apology for its existence, so it seemed to me, was to provide a hangout for a collection of painted portraits of newspaper men—Joe Medill, Jim Scott, John McGovern, Ballentine, etc. I was glad to escape the wraithlike, spooky atmosphere. Why did the club die? Well, when a dozen daily newspapers are "sunk with all hands," where are the members to come from to avert a club of ghosts?

Arthur W. O'Neill.

A CASE OF TIT FOR TAT.

Maw sez she can't for the life of her see
Why Hitler wanted to sink the Graf Spee,
But Paw sez, Hitler in his mystical way
Has seen thru the British design:
He sez: "Them English sunk one of their own ships the other day,
So I'm goin' to sink one of mine."

B. H.

Windy Corner Competition.

Winds between 333 north and the Tribune Tower! [Dec. 22.] You must come out on Hyde Park boulevard and Dorchester avenue! Now, there's a wind we all talk about! It comes from the north, south, east, west, and from above and below at the same time. Am I eligible for your club now? Skeets.

The merry Yuletide of 1939 may be recorded as the time of the four day week for most people, but we're getting out six columns as usual.

CHARLES COLLINS.

How to Keep Well By Dr. Irving S. Cutter

To the limit of space questions pertaining to hygiene and prevention of disease will be answered in this column. Personal replies will be made to inquiries, under proper limitations, when return stamped envelope is inclosed. Dr. Cutter will not make diagnoses or prescribe for individual diseases.

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ARE COLDS PATHFINDERS FOR PNEUMONIA?

PNEUMONIA may be the aftermath of a cold. Half or more of our cases are ushered in with a nasal or bronchial infection as a curtain raiser. As a rule, this preliminary bout persists from one to four weeks. The inference, therefore, is clear: regardless of where the irritation manifests itself—head or chest—rather more than ordinary attention should be given to maintaining resistance.

Now, most of us regard the common cold as an incidental or minor event; something to be endured for a day or two perhaps, but devoid of serious or unpleasant consequences. Even tho one goes to bed, good care and sufficient rest must be arranged for. One cannot reap much benefit from taking to his couch, with periodical trips to a bathroom down a long, drafty corridor, or dressing and going out to meals. Good hygiene demands a well ventilated room, plenty of bedclothing, and enough attendance so that no exertion will be required. The bedside table should be provided with a pitcher of water and a clean glass. Remember that a warm, perspiring body should not be subjected to the slightest draft or chill. With adequate precautions, pneumonia should pass us by.

Nearly every respiratory infection is accompanied by some temperature, headache, backache, and general discomfort. Each of these symptoms constitutes a perfectly valid reason for bed rest. It is not so much the medicine that is taken to abort one of these seizures. Father must we depend upon relaxation and comfort as our best reserve builders.

Occasionally, despite all vigilance—signs of pleurisy, a distressing cough, or bloody sputum will appear. Now and then the temperature may shoot up abruptly subsequent to a chill, all of which may mean that inflammation of the lungs [pneumonia] has arrived. Perhaps some have observed the gradual progress and course of the malady, which has failed to yield to ordinary measures. First of all there comes a profuse nasal discharge, then a sore throat, followed by bronchitis, and, finally, lung involvement.

But such a sequence is relatively rare and some authorities believe that the development of the pneumococci is inevitable no matter what is done. On the other hand, reason dictates that the lowering of body strength invites these organisms to flourish. Anything and everything, therefore, that can be done to enhance well being is all to the good.

While many so-called colds are fleeting, others will hang on and no one is quite safe from a more dangerous infection until all evidence of fever has vanished and recovery is well on the way. If one's system is ripe for the manifestation of real trouble the lung complication will come, usually, during or about the end of the first week. But a coryza or bronchitis that remains for three or four weeks still claims many victims.

In a recent report, Blankenhorn and Gross suggest that in many cases physicians will wish to "jump the gun" and administer sulfapyridine for every severe "cold in the chest" as a safeguard against the occurrence of pneumonia. Properly supervised by the doctor, this drug will not be harmful and it may be given for three or four days and then stopped abruptly whether the patient is still complaining or not. Only a small quantity need be employed and yet this may be just enough to reduce the number of bacteria in the nose and throat and thus hasten convalescence. Such a program is far more alluring than one that calls for mustard plasters, onion poultices, or sweat baths.

Experience has taught many of us how to fight off the common cold. Some take vaccines. But on the first appearance of "sniffles" we begin a program of water drinking, adding to each glass a small amount of alkali. Should a cough be exhibited, moistening the air of the room is helpful always and a croup kettle is a favorite device.

In these days of dry air within many homes, the oft repeated advice may be given again—namely, that a bit of white vaseline be inserted into each nostril daily. Care should be taken routinely to obtain ample rest with constant emphasis upon the avoidance of overfatigue.

INVERTED NIPPLES.

M. O. W. writes: What should be done in a case of inverted nipples?

REPLY.

In adults, should a normal nipple become inverted, it is highly desirable that the family physician be consulted at once. The cause may be some retracting [pulling] growth, which may be serious. Do not employ massage until the source of the trouble has been identified and then only should the lump prove harmless.

BUTTERMILK FOR HEARTBURN.

F. M. writes: Is buttermilk as beneficial in indigestion and heartburn as lactic acid milk?

REPLY.

Buttermilk and other lactic acid-containing products, help to modify the bacterial population of the intestinal tract. For the neutralization of excessive acidity, soda tablets or ordinary milk will probably be more effective as a temporary measure.

A MIXING DEVICE.

M. C. writes: What is the function of the duodenum?

REPLY.

Like the rest of the intestinal tract [it is the first portion], it is concerned with the digestion of food. It receives the contents of the stomach as well as the secretions from the pancreas and the liver. Approximately 12 inches in length, it may be regarded as a mixing device.

Test Your Facts

Below each of the following questions are listed three answers. Make your choice, turn to page 28 in the Want Ad section for the correct answers, and mark your score:

1. Which of the Scandinavian countries touches Germany?
[a] Norway, [b] Sweden, [c] Denmark.

2. How many vertebrae are there in the human spinal column?
[a] Thirty-three, [b] 51, [c] 16.

3. What was the nickname of Ivan IV., the first czar of Russia?
[a] The Great, [b] The Terrible, [c] The Conqueror.

4. The name of John Dewey is famous in which of the following fields:
[a] Naval warfare, [b] politics, [c] philosophy.

CARTOON COMMENT

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

Writers should confine themselves to 200 or 300 words. Give full names and addresses. No manuscripts can be returned. Address Voice of the People, The Tribune.

BYRD AND ELLSWORTH.

Chicago, Nov. 23.—The current hullabaloo over Byrd calls for a little honest comment. Byrd's ability for headline haunting has led the public into a grave injustice. Few people realize that in Lincoln Ellsworth we have the greatest aerial explorer who ever lived, that on at least three of his flights he has cut wider gaps in the unknown than Byrd has in his entire career. Just for the record, here are a few facts:

When Byrd flew to the north pole in 1926 all but 100 miles of his course was over sea that had previously been explored by Ellsworth and Amundsen. In the minds of geographical students there is real doubt about the accuracy of the observations that placed him at the pole; a year earlier the Ellsworth-Amundsen airplane expedition, despite the fact that in its leaders and in Riiser-Larson it had three of the best arctic navigators who ever lived, missed their polar course by nearly 20 degrees.

Byrd had no check on his figures from a fixed position, but, even if successful, he added little to geographical knowledge. Similarly, his earlier flights from Etah, Greenland, while accompanying E. F. McDonald Jr. and Donald MacMillan were over territory which had been covered by Greely, Lockwood, Sverdrup, Dr. Cook, MacMillan, Fitzhugh Green, and others.

Again, his antarctic work has consisted chiefly of flying over terrain previously explored by Amundsen and Scott on foot. His flight to the south pole was along the line of march pioneered by Amundsen in 1911; his Marie Byrd land is part of the Scott land explored by Amundsen's base party in the same year. The outpost where he agonized long enough to produce his book, "Alone," is at about the same point on the 80th parallel where Amundsen had his first outlying cache; it was four days' journey with loaded sledges and two days with empty sledges from the base at what Byrd now calls Little America.

In contrast, Ellsworth's 1925 expedition opened the vast chunk of unexplored territory north of Spitzbergen between latitude 84 and 88 degrees, with double value because the return flight was over a different course. The 1926 flight of the Norge first put man's eyes on the unknown area between the north pole and Point Barrow, and the navigation from the slow moving, stable dirigible can be accepted as really accurate. As navigation expert for the Graf Zeppelin, Ellsworth took the ship over a vast unexplored territory north of Europe and Asia. Finally, his flight, with several landings, across the antarctic continent added more known terrain to the world of geographical knowledge than all previous antarctic exploration combined. He is a man who really deserves credit.

Ted Leitzell.

CAFETERIA FOR BIRDS.

Kenilworth, Ill., Dec. 20.—Here is a suggestion for a simple, but very effective, suet holder for the birds:

Buy a 10 cent soap rack, with wire spring handles at each end, and stretch it between two nails driven part way into a tree or post. This is all that is needed for the creeping birds, but to make it more accessible to jays and cardinals add a perch underneath, made of a long nail covered with a wooden handle of a package holder.

We found the birds would wait in line for ours, so have put up several of them.

Violet Wyld.

REPUBLICAN ALL-STARS.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—It appears that if one is to be considered for a major political office in the ranks of the G. O. P., one must first declare for governor. All others, irrespective of fitness for any other post, must stand aside for the so-called all-star cast. If this keeps up, the G. O. P. in this state will consist of all generals and no army. The shuffling of the all-stars to fit other positions is done, it is said, for the sake of harmony. Harmony for whom? The experience of 1932 and succeeding years has apparently taught little.

J. R. Mills.

IRONIC BITS.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—On the back sheet today you had a picture of Santa Claus giving an undernourished horse a square meal. I know Santa wouldn't know, because he always drives reindeer, but some one should have taken the bit out of Tony's mouth while he was trying to get his Christmas present. He just can't make it. I wonder if any one ever tried eating with something in his mouth, especially a piece of iron.

Mrs. H. Macklin.

ACHIEVEMENTS COMPARED.

Rochelle, Ill., Dec. 18.—At age 37 Ickes' big achievement was being manager of the Prof. C. E. Merriam campaign which bogged down to defeat.

At age 37 Dewey, with a most excellent record as district attorney of New York City, had rolled up nearly two and one-half million votes for governor of New York.

Odious comparison for Ickes, but he asked for it.

E. L. Vaile.

THE SCIENTIFIC TEMPER.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 24.—Scientists who want to split the atom should give one to a small boy who has just received a tool chest from Santa Claus! J. C. Fairey.

TOO MANY TRAFFIC LIGHTS?

Chicago, Dec. 20.—On my daily round trip to work I encounter some 60 odd traffic lights. I accept these, for the most part, as the best known means of regulating traffic and promoting safety.

Recently a traffic light has been installed at Keeler avenue on Addison. I have been stopped 20 times, at least, by this light and as yet no car has crossed Addison street while I waited.

If the traffic light has fallen into the hands of special privilege I see tough times ahead for the motorist.

R. L. Healy.

ARE WE A COLONY?

Chicago, Dec. 19.—I give our government much credit for protesting against the soviets, but where is our strong government when it comes to protesting against the British government for taking mail from American citizens, paid for with American money, off American merchant boats? Is England too strong for us that we do not dare to protest? Or perhaps are we a colony of that vast democratic empire?

C. B.

FRIEND OF THE PEOPLE

The volume of Legal Friend mail necessitates printed statements on common questions. No copies or records of the letters or answers are kept. Hence follow-up letters should be complete in themselves. If questions are based on some previously printed problem a clipping of the article should accompany. Most of the replies are mailed. Letters bearing no name and address are disregarded. A self-addressed envelope will expedite handling.

TRUSTEE VS. ADMINISTRATOR.

Chicago, Dec. 21 [Legal Friend of the People].—1. Is there any difference between a trustee and an [2] administrator of an estate? My husband is one of two trustees for a $100,000 estate.

3. What compensation may be asked? These trustees have complete control of the estate. M. A.

1. Yes. A trustee in connection with probate proceedings is a person to whom the assets are turned over to be handled for the beneficiaries after the conclusion of the court proceedings.

2. The administrator is the court appointed personal representative who handles the estate during the court proceedings.

3. Depends on the nature of the assets, the extent and quality of his services, and other facts that are not before us. Doubtless an attorney is employed on an estate of this size and the attorney so employed is in better position to answer your questions than we are.

TRIBUNE LAW DEPARTMENT.

THE WORLD WAR 25 YEARS AGO

[From Tribune Files.]

December 27, 1914.

[1524 day of the world war; 118th day of the present war.]

BERLIN—Attacks by British cruisers, destroyers, and convoying hydroplanes on Wilhelmshaven and Cuxshaven, German naval bases on the North sea, were repulsed. The hydroplanes dropped bombs on anchored ships without doing any damage. The planes were fired upon and withdrew to the west. German planes hit several British vessels, it was reported, but the ships escaped in the fog.

PETROGRAD—More than 100 persons were killed or wounded by bombs dropped by German planes in Sochaczew, Russian Poland. One bomb was dropped in the middle of a crowd watching the aviator. Almost all in the gathering were killed or wounded.

PARIS—Diplomatic negotiations were in progress on the question of bringing Japanese troops to Europe to fight with the allies, according to a statement by the ministry of war.

WASHINGTON—British authorities notified the United States government that a new list of absolute and conditional contraband had been issued. Sulphur and glycerine were added to the list of absolute contraband.

THE BUROCRACY MOVES IN

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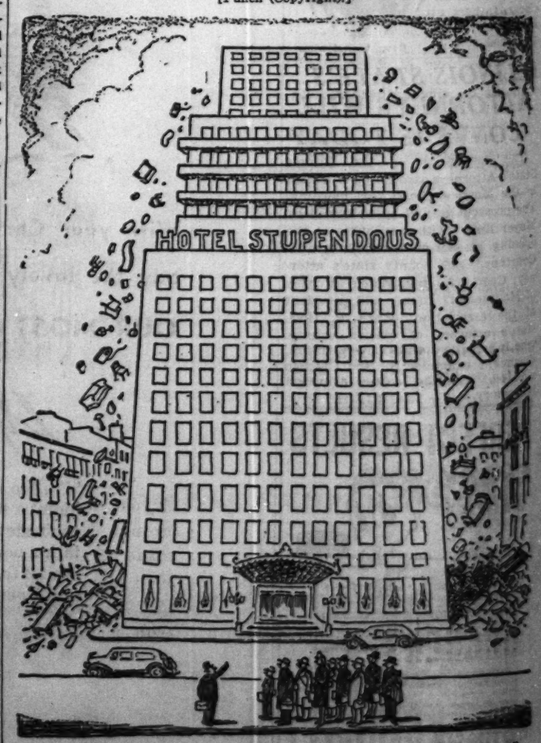


"And if there's not enough room we will take the hotel over the way."

LUND PROTESTS GAIN IN STATE'S PRINTING COSTS

Demands $1,000,000 Slash in Expenditures.

The cost of state printing has doubled since 1933 and is now at a figure far in excess of any in the history of Illinois, Representative Arnold L. Lund said yesterday. This is a clew to the attitude of the state administration toward the taxpayers' dollars, he said.

Appropriations for printing during the 1939-'41 biennium total more than $2,000,000, he said, while in the 1933-35 fiscal period the cost was less than $1,000,000. Ten years ago, with depression lessons yet to be learned, the printing costs totaled $1,606,008.

Print Booklet on Snails.

"Recently a nicely bound book was issued with taxpayers' funds under the title: 'Fieldbook of Illinois Land Snails,'" Lund said. "It had 166 pages and was a fine example of the great variety of booklets, pamphlets, and nonreporting publications issued every year.

"While every book might serve a purpose for some people, there is no justification which the taxpayers can understand for the throwing away of hundreds of thousands of dollars on publications which 99 per cent of the public will never see."

Lund asserted that many of the printing jobs distributed by the administration are nothing short of political advertising. They frequently praise state officials, as in the Illinois Blue Book, which contains biographies of those who won at elections.

Financial Reports Scarce.

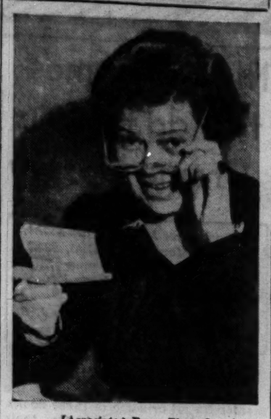
"Despite this outpouring of state funds on reports, it is difficult to find reports showing what happens to public funds," Lund said. "The really essential reports could be issued inexpensively, and need not show pictures of the state officials. I would prefer them without the pictures, regardless of cost."

A comparative statement prepared by Lund follows, showing appropriations and recommended reductions:

	1933-'35.	1939-'41.	Proposed cut.
Salary, Spt. of printing ...$	8,000 $	8,600	.....
Ind. and wages	79,618	120,700 $	40,000
Office exp...	22,292	18,000	.....
Travel	2,891	5,000	3,000
Repairs	786	5,000	.....
Prtg. & bindg.	820,628	1,815,640	950,000
Prtg., senate.	27,730	40,000	10,000
Prtg., house..	33,782	50,000	14,000
Allg. for bids	.....	12,000	.....
	$996,330	$2,074,940	$1,017,000

Thirty-four state agencies share the printing funds.

Dramatic Coach



[Associated Press Photo.]

Miss Josephine Dillon, the first Mrs. Clark Gable, as she told of plans to join college staff.

New York, Dec. 26 (AP).—Josephine Dillon, the first wife of Clark Gable, the movie actor, will become a college faculty member. She announced today that she would shortly take up the post of head drama coach at Christian college in Columbia, Mo.

She married the movie star 16 years ago when he was a trouble-shooter for a telephone company and they were husband and wife for seven years.

$11,514,136 Parks Budget Voted, $800,235 Under '39

The Chicago park district commissioners yesterday adopted the operating budget for 1940. It totals $11,514,136, compared with $12,314,371 for this year, a decline of $800,235. General decreases in departmental appropriations were responsible, according to Robert J. Dunham, park president. Another factor was a lower surplus from 1939. On Jan. 1 the board will have a surplus of only $1,214,136, as compared with $1,600,000 last year.

MICHIGAN'S TAX ON APPLES HELD INVALID BY JUDGE

State Agency Will Appeal to Supreme Court.

St. Joseph, Mich., Dec. 26 [Special].—A state law which imposes a tax of 1 cent a bushel on apples produced in Michigan was held invalid today in a ruling by Judge Fremont Evans in the Berrien county Circuit court.

The decision will have a wide effect inasmuch as Michigan annually produces between 7,000,000 and 10,000,000 bushels of apples. The income from the levy was to have been used to advertise Michigan apples and to finance research into the fruit and its products with a view of improving production.

The law, passed early this year and put into operation in August, was opposed by small scale orchardists, especially those of southwestern Michigan, where much of the state's production is concentrated.

Will Ask High Court Rule.

In connection with today's ruling Judge Evans made permanent a temporary injunction restraining all attempts to enforce the tax against apple growers, producers, and shippers in the state. The restraint applies to the state apple commission, fruit inspectors employed by the state department of agriculture, and all law enforcing agencies.

Immediately after the ruling R. J. Martin, executive secretary of the state apple commission, announced in Lansing that the state Supreme court would be asked to review the Circuit court decision.

Martin said that all except a small amount of the $25,000 collected under the act had been spent on advertising Michigan apples within the state and in Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin, Iowa, and Ohio. He said a deficiency appropriation would be necessary if tax refunds were to be made to orchardists.

Based on Technical Error.

Invalidation of the act was based on what was termed a technical error in its drafting. Judge Evans held that the title and body of the act did not conform. The title stated the tax applied to the production of apples, while the body of the act said the tax was to be levied on marketing.

In all its other features, Judge Evans said, the act is properly within the powers of the state legislature and would be enforceable had the law been drafted properly.

In holding that the advertising called for in the act is proper, the judge remarked: "It is common knowledge that apples of the Pacific northwest of the same brands grown in Michigan are sold extensively in Michigan in competition with Michigan apples, partly at least because of their being extensively and intensively advertised."

NEW YORK WEST SIDE HAS AN EXPERIENCE WITH WESTERN SCENE

New York, Dec. 26 [Special].—A 1,400 pound bull today gave the west side an exhibition of fancy vaulting and proved adept at solving Manhattan traffic regulations. It also tried to enter a taxicab.

Escaping from a stock car, the bull leaped a 5 foot fence and lumbered along a one way street until momentarily cornered. Pressed too hard by three police cars and two autos full of stock handlers the bull bolted. Lassoed, he jumped across the hood of a squad car and fled with the rope trailing.

When the bull reached the Sheffield farms dairy garage, trucks were maneuvered into a circular corral and the animal was trapped.

CHICAGOANS MAIL MORE PRESENTS THAN THEY GET

Chicago's postoffice did more business between Dec. 1 and Dec. 23 than at any time since the predepression days of 1929. Postmaster Ernest J. Kruetgen reported yesterday that receipts during this Christmas season amounted to $5,420,297, an increase of 4.38 per cent over the comparable period last year.

More than three times as many parcels were sent out of Chicago as were received. However, more letters and Christmas cards were received than were sent. Following is the tabulation:

Incoming	1939	1938
First Class ..	128,611,081 pieces	123,002,430
Parcel post ..	601,352 sacks	537,753
Circulars	19,968,236 pieces	21,043,031
All other classes	86,175 sacks	69,409
Outgoing		
First class ...	118,060,181 pieces	111,440,745
Parcel post ..	2,278,451 sacks	2,209,322
Circulars	49,477,316 pieces	58,193,747
All other classes	407,099 sacks	395,156

Because 400 employés were busy delivering parcels and special delivery letters Sunday and Christmas day, virtually all the Christmas mail had been delivered by yesterday. At the peak of business nearly 4,000 extra employés were working. The volume of mail handled last Wednesday was the largest in Chicago's history, as were receipts for the week ending Saturday, which exceeded $2,000,000.

RUBY KEELER IS GIVEN A DIVORCE FROM AL JOLSON

(Picture on back page.)

Los Angeles, Dec. 26 (AP).—Actress-Dancer Ruby Keeler obtained a divorce today from Al Jolson after telling Superior Judge Thomas C. Gould that the singer ridiculed and embarrased her until she could not longer stand to live with him.

"He called me stupid," she said. "Whenever I expressed an opinion, he would say, 'That is wonderful—do you know about that, too? You are too smart'."

"Did he do this in front of your friends?" the judge inquired.

"O, yes," Miss Keeler replied. "He would sit at the table and refuse to talk, and make me keep up the conversations. Then he would go upstairs and leave me to entertain our friends."

Posters with War Time Flavor Urge Census Aid

(Picture on back page.)

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26 [Special].—Just off the government printing presses are thousands of posters appealing to patriotism. Altho they look much like the world war posters, these big red, white and blue placards appeal for coöperation in the essential business of taking the 1940 census. A total of 263,000 were printed. They bear the names of Secretary of Commerce Harry L. Hopkins and William L. Austin, director of the bureau of census.

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NEWS and REVIEWS

Sharp Analysis of Navy Power in Today's War

"Sea Power and Today's War," by Fletcher Pratt. [Harrison-Hilton, $3.]

BY JOSEPH ATOR.

Fletcher Pratt is rapidly consolidating his position as the leading American popular writer on naval subjects. The high recommendation given his present work by our own navy is proof that he escapes that besetting sin of popularizers, the sacrifice of accuracy in the attempt for clarity.

In readable fashion, Pratt puts the flesh of performance over the dry statistical bones of design of various warship types. He shows what each type of ship is expected to do, and leads from this to explanation of how the strategic tasks of the world's navies have caused each to build the types it has. Since nearly every ship is built to oppose another ship of a potential enemy power, this leads his discussion in turn to the motives in the naval building race of the years since the last war.

The most surprising of Pratt's chapters is that dealing with the decline of the British fleet following the world war, reaching its nadir when in the Ethiopian crisis the mistress of the seas had to call on France to guard Gibraltar, while her own great Mediterranean fleet was forced by the menace of Italian planes to withdraw from Malta to Egypt.

Since that day, Pratt says, the British fleet has undergone a great renaissance, altho Great Britain will not for a number of years have the ships necessary to wage simultaneous war in Europe and against Japan in the far east. Pratt, in common with some other writers, envisions the United States joining Britain in a Pacific war. If in this he reflects the views of our own navy, it is a subject congress should investigate.

Our own battle fleet, he reports, while slow, has such great power and protection that no other fleet in the world could stand up against it in battle. At the same time, he reports numerous defects in our ships and even worse ones in the administration of the navy's bureaus.

Of the fleets of other powers, he reports the Germans unexcelled in gunnery, but forced by lack of heavy ships to make their strategy one of guerrilla warfare on British commerce. Until the last two years, the Italian fleet was unique in that it was regarded as an adjunct of the air force, Pratt declares, adding that now it is also prepared to carry on major operations against France's Mediterranean lifeline with her African colonies. France, he says, has built to counter Germany and Italy.

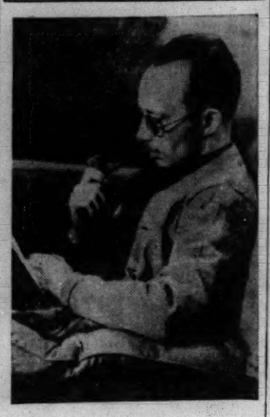
Russians are bad sailors and even worse shipbuilders, Pratt writes, but the best minelayers in the world. Japan's fleet has numerous defects, he says, and Japanese are poor aviators. Japanese designers, he finds, try to cram too much armament and speed into inadequate tonnage [to save materials], with the result that many of their warships are not too seaworthy. Nevertheless, Pratt holds, the Japanese fleet today is fully capable of cutting England off from Australia, raiding in the Indian ocean, and perhaps seizing the rich Netherlands Indies—all assuming, of course, that Great Britain is engaged in Europe at the same time.

It is natural that the world scene should have stimulated the production of martial literature this year.

In the field of American defense, it has been predominantly a naval year. Pratt's book rounds out a trio of significant publications in this field. The others are the fine biography of Mahan, in which Capt. Puleston revived for a younger generation of readers the great American officer's theories of sea power that still govern the strategy of most of the world's navies, and Harold and Margaret Sprout's equally fine study of American naval policy [including the lack thereof] up to the world war.

Capt. Liddell Hart's principal contribution of the year, "The Defense of Britain," may take on increasing importance in coming months. Regardless of the accuracy of his analysis, the indications that he has obtained the ear of Mr. Hore-Belisha, the secretary of war, and perhaps of other British cabinet members may make the work a sort of temporary bible of British grand strategy.

Naval Authority



Fletcher Pratt, author of "Sea Power and Today's War," which is reviewed in adjoining column.

Important New Books

Masefield Continues Story.

"Live and Kicking Ned," by John Masefield. [MacMillian, $2.50.]

Young Dr. Mansell continues his hair raising adventures aboard the slave ship where Mr. Masefield left him—and us—so abruptly last year at the conclusion of "Dead Ned."

The first book, which was the autobiography of a corpse—Ned having been revived after a trip to the gallows—was classically written. And so is the first part of the second volume. Toward the close, however, the plot grows a bit wild and there is a feeling that England's poet laureate has been reading too much Ryder Haggard, tho the writing remains good. And the story imparts to the reader a sort of Stevensonesque satisfaction. But you feel that Mr. Masefield, after long repressing the desire to smash a silk hat, has now smashed it. C. L.

Study of Victorian Period.

"Victoria Royal," by Rita Wellman. [Scribners, $3.50.]

Now that there is such a revival of interest in Victorian furnishings, colors, and clothes this book by Rita Wellman will be especially appreciated. It tells of life in England during the reign of Victoria, starting with the year 1851, and then devotes the remaining chapters to the influence of Victorianism on France during the time of Louis Napoleon, and on the United States. The history of decorative trends is recounted in a lively, entertaining, and highly informative style.

Illustrations show the evolution of the dandy, the various phases of the over ornate designs in architecture and interior furnishings that were associated with the epoch, and scenes from social gatherings. "Victoria Royal" is valuable source material for any one interested in studying the 19th century. E. W.

Java Is Novel's Background

"Illusion in Java," by Gene Fowler. [Random, $2.50.]

The unpredictable Gene Fowler stopped off as a casual visitor in Java, the exotic Dutch island in the South seas. He remained, to become enchanted with the Javanese and to write a quaint, colorful, romantic novel of those people, based on their curious folklore.

"Illusion in Java" is a tender tale of love and life. Its hero is Ajoks, a stout bodied youth with a genius for music who played the bonan with the long hammers and fell in love with a village maiden. Ajoks also owned a crooked bull, an odd creature, indeed, that knelt in prayer, and from whose back a tree grew. Because of the bull Ajoks made a strange and wonderful pilgrimage from his native Rindi to the sea and the city, to the palace of the great Su, and to his fortune.

Not equal to the Fowler of "Timber Line," "Trumpet in the Dust," or "The Great Mouthpiece," "Illusion in Java" still is far superior to Fowler's more recent work. Indeed, it does not suffer by comparison with "The Good Earth," a novel similar in treatment and subject, altho it often seems touched with the stagecraft of Hollywood, where Mr. Fowler labors in script. J. H. T.

Realm of Music Explored from Various Angles

"Music Here and Now," by Ernst Krenek, translated by Barthold Fles. [Norton, $3.]
"The State of Music," by Virgil Thompson. [Morrow, $2.75.]
"Men of Music," by Wallace Brockway and Herbert Weinstock. [Simon & Schuster, $3.75.]
"Johann Strauss, Father and Son," by H. E. Jacob, translated by Marguerite Wolf. [Greystone, $3.25.]

BY RUSSELL MAC FALL.

According to Virgil Thompson, composer of the opera "Four Saints in Three Acts," composers are the natural leaders of the musical world. For that reason, both his book and that of Ernst Krenek, different as they are in spirit, are important guides to contemporary music. Mr. Thompson says frankly that only musicians know anything about music; Mr. Krenek, with more faith and less wit, explains the essential character of the new music and opens up a fresh view of its significance to our epoch.

"Music Here and Now" is perhaps the best nontechnical book yet written about the aims of such composers as Schoenberg, Berg, Haba, Stravinsky, Hindemith, Satie, and Krenek himself, who is most widely known for his opera, "Johnny Spielt Auf." He describes how, from the atonality of old church music, tonal music became supreme in Bach's time and asserts that in recent years the return of atonal music has challenged its supremacy. Atonality, of course, is merely a lack of a definite key consciousness, brought about by use of the chromatic, or twelve note, scale.

Mr. Krenek also explains the rise of entertainment music as opposed to art music. The former, he says, reached its height in Johann Strauss and now has taken the form of jazz, which he says has created a liberated audience for the new art music.

All the remarks that Mr. Thompson makes may not be wise, but almost all are witty. He says some tart things about the other arts. For instance: "Poets have no civil status, no social function, no serious job to do, and no income," and "The painter's whole morality consists of keeping his brushes clean and getting up in the morning."

But his real theme is to tell how composers make enough money to eat, and what their sources of income do to determine their musical style and their slant on politics.

Mr. Thompson also has some revealing words about the music market. The movies must have music, he says, because screen action lacks emotional appeal. But music and dialog get in each other's hair, a conflict for which there is no easy solution in sight.

As a notable modern composer, Mr. Thompson's own history of music as a meeting of French, German, and Italian elements into the flood tide of Viennese music making, followed by a slow decline which was rejuvenated by folk elements in this century is worthy of credence. Also important is his judgment that music has made no real progress in the last 25 years, and that a lot of nonsense has been written under the impression that there is some connection between modern music and painting and poetry.

"Men of Music" is a sumptuous volume, a history of the art in terms of biography, according to Deems Taylor's introduction. From the times of Bach's illustrious predecessors, Palestrina and Di Lasso, to Stravinsky, Strauss, and Sibelius, the authors find nearly a score of music masters worthy of fairly detailed and critical study.

In general, their essays are smoothly finished, excellently phrased, and well proportioned. A certain bias toward opera and its composers may be found both in the selection of masters and in the discussion. Other individual opinions creep out in the something less than reverence paid to Brahms, and in the attempt to restore Tschaikovsky to his pedestal. A list of recommended recordings illustrative of the composers is a useful appendix.

The minuet was the dance of French aristocracy; German and Austrian supremacy replaced it with the waltz, so long as they were in power. So believes Mr. Jacobs, and his vivid history of the Strausses is keyed to the social and political events of their time. Johann the elder was born in 1804; he conquered Europe and founded the waltz dynasty before his death in 1849. Johann the younger, once his rival in Vienna, carried on with his waltzes and operettas until 1899. Joseph and Eduard, his brothers, also contributed to the family fame, Eduard dying only in 1916, with his master, Emperor Franz Joseph, as the empire neared its end.

In their own time Brahms, Liszt, and Rubinstein paid tribute to the genius of the Strausses, and today they are reckoned in the main stream of musical history. The history ends with an account of Sousa, whose marches were to America what the waltz was for Vienna, and of the evolution of popular music into jazz.

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History of Horses Traced in Pair of Fascinating Books

"Horses and Americans," by Phil Stong [Stokes, $5], is a large, handsome, interestingly illustrated book which tells of the vital rôle played by the horse in our country's growth and development. From the early days of the Spanish conquistadors, thru the struggle of the New England colonists to break the earth and farm the land, and the period of the westward migrations by covered wagon, the overland mail, and the pony express, to more recent days of warfare, racing, horse shows, and riding to hounds, Mr. Stong traces the work done by man's four footed friend. An excellent bibliography completes this fascinating volume.

The complete history of the horse, from the dawn of the world to the 20th century, is narrated in lively fashion in a big, well illustrated book entitled "The History and Romance of the Horse," by Arthur Vernon [Waverly House, $3.75].

Flower Expert

Donita Ferguson, shown with a floral hair-do, is co-author of "Fun with Flowers," reviewed below.

"Fun with Flowers," by Donita Ferguson and Roy Sheldon. [Houghton Mifflin, $2.50.]

If you want to discover all sorts of new and unusual ways to decorate your home and even yourself with flowers, this entertaining, staccato book by Donita Ferguson and Roy Sheldon will be your meat. The authors tell you how to select blooms at the florists, how not to arrange them, how to gain the best effects, and what sort of flowers to send to friends on various and sundry occasions.

If you've been given a corsage that, somehow, just doesn't ring the bell, reach for this little tome. It will explain quickly what can be done to remake it. And at the end of the volume you'll find a "dilettante's directory" which lists alphabetically all those flowers available in shops thruout the temperate zone, gives their color, and tells how to use them to best advantage and the time of year when they appear in city florist windows.

The book has an amusing little chapter heading illustrations by Jay Warmuth. E. W.

Noel Coward's Short Stories Skilfully Done

"To Step Aside," by Noel Coward. [Doubleday-Doran, $2.50.]

BY FANNY BUTCHER.

Noel Coward, who can dash off a panoramic masterpiece like "Cavalcade," music as well as words for a light opera classic like "Bitter Sweet," assorted smart drawing room comedies about human foibles like "Private Lives," and a swift and vivid autobiography like "Present Indicative," here proves that he can whip up a short story with the best of them.

There are seven in this first collection of Noel Coward's short stories, of which five are tops in story telling. Of the other two, "Wooden Madonna" is negligible and it is unfortunate that it should be the first story in the book, for many readers may feel after reading it that it is easier to "step aside" and evade the others.

It is also unfortunate that "Traveler's Joy" should be the second, because, while it is a better story than the first, it still does not have the fortitude of the others. It is an ironic tale of a malformed girl whose bubble of romance is pricked with the glance of blank surprise on her lover's face in the morning.

From then on in the book the stories are really good. "Aunt Tittie" is a nostalgic tale of a little orphaned boy, whose aunt, no better than she should be, takes him to live her harum-scarum life with her. The tenderness and sheer human kindness that fills the heart which the world would call hard and bad is no mawkish make believe, but a real quality in this excellent story. It is comedy-tragedy reviewed with gentleness.

"What Mad Pursuit" sounds more like the Noel Coward of the smart plays than any of the others. It is a very funny, very clever satire on American week-end life. In it a visiting English author, worn out by the hurly-burly of New York, accepts an invitation from a charming woman for a quiet week-end in the country. The week-end starts with dinner and theater. It progresses thru crowds multiplying in almost mathematical proportions as the week-end party, achieved by the characteristic American methods of attrition, dashes over the countryside in overcrowded automobiles, drinks too many and too potent cocktails, and takes on the quantities of the tumbleweed. It ends with the dazed young man's skeptical reading of a letter from an admirer in the midwest who assures him that a week-end at her quiet country home would remind him of England.

"Cheap Excursion" is probably the best of the good lot, a deeply probing story of a fine actress pitifully in love with a stagehand. It is the sort of thing that Dorothy Parker did superbly in "Telephone Call," and it is that story's peer—which is the highest possible praise.

In "The Kindness of Mrs. Radcliffe" Mr. Coward turns a scalpel-like pen toward the "sweet" woman, than whom there can be no one more successfully cruel when she sets her wits toward making others unhappy.

The final story is a Somerset Maugham-ish tale of the truth and the gossip about a wife who runs away with her chauffeur. It is a clever diptych—on one side an observer's picture of an ungrateful and loose living wife who has publicly disgraced herself and her estimable husband by leaving him for a servitor; on the other, the knowledge of the one outsider in the world who knew the true facts of a marriage which was a farce, of the private horrors thru which the wife lived and the exigency of her escape. "Nature Study" is not a pretty story, but it is a good one.

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Barnard College Beginning Reveals a Changing World

It seems that a New York woman of the 1880s could gratify almost every whim except one. She couldn't get an education. "The First Fifty Years," by Alice Duer Miller and Susan Myers [Columbia University Press, $2], tells how a determined group of men and women changed this situation in Gotham and how Barnard college was begun in 1889. Nicholas Murray Butler has written a foreword.

New Book Out

Noel Coward, whose collection of short stories, "To Step Aside," is reviewed in adjoining column.

Authors and Their Work

The publishing firm of Reynal & Hitchcock, which brought out the American edition of Adolf Hitler's "Mein Kampf" [$3] says the report is reliable that a broker on the New York Stock exchange has made more money betting on Hitler's moves than he has made in the brokerage business. All the tips he used were given him by Hitler himself—in the book!

A unique contract in the history of European publishing was that recently signed by John Knittle, author of "Power for Sale" [Stokes, $2.50], with Albin Michel Editeurs, for the exclusive French rights to sell his books—past, present, and future—for a period of 25 years. French publishers at least are optimistic.

Felix Salten's "Bambi's Children" [Bobbs, $2.50], a direct sequel to his famous "Bambi," is the first book he has written since he found sanctuary in Switzerland from totalitarianism.

Charles G. Finney dedicated his new book, "Past the End of the Pavement" [Holt, $2], simply "To Marie." As a result of an error in typesetting it appeared in the finished book as "To Marie Finney." Mr. Finney called this mistake to his publisher's attention, adding: "I shudder to think how this might have looked if I hadn't in the meantime married the lady!"

Famous Old Almanac Published for 148th Time, Setting Record

For the 148th time the famous "The Old Farmer's Almanac" [Little Brown, 15 cents] is now published, making the longest run in almanac history. You would think that nowadays, with weather forecasts broadcast all day long and in all the newspapers, that the almanac business would fall off. You're wrong, because last year "The Old Farmer's Almanac" was more popular than ever.

In the 1940 edition, besides the regular and routine almanac information, there are an original poem by Robert P. Tristram Coffin, an article on hurricanes by G. Harold Noyes of the United States weather bureau, a contribution from Gov. Leverett Saltonstall of Massachusetts, agricultural information by Dean Eastman of the University of New Hampshire, and an array of the brightest planets promised for 1940.

More Volumes to Add to Your Drama Library

"Forty-Five Minutes Past Eight," by Ward Morehouse. [Dial, $2.50.]
"The American Drama Since 1918," by Joseph Wood Krutch. [Random, $2.50.]
"Johnson Over Jordan," by J. B. Priestley. [Harpers, $2.]

BY SEYMOUR KORMAN.

Find room in your library of the theater for all or some of these books. They are worth having for their wealth of factual and critical data.

"Forty-Five Minutes Past Eight" and "The American Drama Since 1918" cover approximately the same period in the theater, but in totally different manners.

Mr. Morehouse, who is a well known New York newspaper man, has filled the pages of his book with anecdotes of personalities and important moments before the footlights and behind the stage. In addition to his newspaper work, he has written plays and movie treatments.

The range of his book is as spacious as his circle of acquaintances. He tells of the drama behind a thousand first nights, of the trembling authors, the eager actors, the distraught producers and directors, the same faces which are always in these audiences, the critics who look sour and the few who smile.

Where Mr. Morehouse is concerned with the glamor of the theater and those breathless pauses before the rise of the first curtain, Mr. Krutch deals in a critical vein with playwrights. He calls them all to judgment.

Of Eugene O'Neill, Mr. Krutch says that he lacks the poetic instinct. Philip Barry, he says, does not have the common touch. S. N. Behrman, he finds, is brilliant, but sometimes unconvincing when his characters should rise to emotional heights.

Maxwell Anderson, Mr. Krutch declares, has written some distinguished poetry. George Kelly, he believes, has failed to live up to the promise of "The Show Off," and Clifford Odets has done excellent work in the drama of social criticism, but as yet has not written his great play.

"Johnson Over Jordan" is a Priestley play which has been produced in London, but has not been brought to this country. It is a combination of fantasy, symbolism, and some reality—recalling in parts Eugene O'Neill's "Great God Brown." Mr. Priestley begins his action with the funeral of his central character; then takes this man from the coffin and carries him back thru his life experiences—not as he actually lived, perhaps, but as "Everyman" might live in the toils of forces beyond him.

Best Sellers

FICTION.

The Nazarene, by Sholem Asch.
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Escape, by Ethel Vance.

NONFICTION.

Abraham Lincoln: The War Years, by Carl Sandburg.
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CANAL ZONE CHIEF PORT OF CALL ON AMERICAN CRUISE

War Enhances Interest in Nation's Defenses.

BY FREDERIC BABCOCK.

Tho the ships plying the Caribbean sea call at a new and strange port almost every day, the companies operating these cruises have learned that American passengers are interested primarily in a strip controled by their own country. This is the Canal Zone.

As a result, about half of the liners headed south this winter will have Panama as one of their principal destinations.

The European war is enhancing the interest in matters connected with the defense of America. Travelers are anxious to see as much as they are permitted to see of the keystone of this country's fortifications.

Passage Slow Before Canal.

In the old days it took a vessel about five months to go from New York to San Francisco by way of Cape Horn or the Strait of Magellan. Before the canal was built, United States warships required two months to get from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

Today the entire American fleet can pass from one ocean to the other in 48 hours. The trip around the southern tip of South America was 14,000 miles; the trip across the isthmus is 46 miles.

At one time the isthmus was one of the world's richest trade routes. The first road, from Panama City on the Pacific to Porto Bello on the Atlantic, was built more than 400 years ago. Over it went vast treasures of gold, silver, and jewels, stripped from the Inca temples of Peru. Once a year Spanish galleons arrived at Porto Bello to collect this wealth and carry it back to the old world.

Seek Northwest Passage.

Following Columbus' voyages to the new world, English, French, Spanish, and Dutch explorers took up the search for a northwest passage to the orient. Indians told the Spanish navigators of a narrow place between two oceans and the newcomers supposed this meant a strait. For years they sailed up and down the coast looking for this opening.

Balboa's discovery of the Pacific in 1513 put an end to the search. The strait had turned out to be an isthmus. But the strait is there today and vessels of all nations pass thru it.

Panama also was the scene of one of man's greatest victories over disease. In six months an American, Dr. William C. Gorgas, wiped out the malaria that had been a scourge there for at least 400 years. He made it possible for another American, George W. Goethals, to build the canal.

Feeding Time

Said to be the only porpoise in captivity, this 1,000 pound specimen leaps clear of the water to accept food from an attendant. The scene is the oceanarium at Marineland, Fla.

CALIFORNIA ADDS REDWOOD GROVES TO PARK SYSTEM

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 26 [Special].—Two large groves of giant redwoods are about to be added to the California park system.

The state park commission is completing details for the purchase of 10,753 acres of virgin forest at an approximate cost of $297,000. At present the tracts are held by lumber interests.

All the land is within the Redwood empire counties of north coastal California. Part of it lies in the "Avenue of the Giants" sector, near the grove where the world's tallest tree—a redwood reaching a height of 364 feet—is still growing.

Rocky Mountain Park Ski Trails Await Experts

Rocky Mountain National Park, Colo., Dec. 26 [Special].—Following removal of obstructions and débris in the Hidden valley and other sections of the park, ski trail routes now are in excellent condition. One mile-long trail in Hidden valley is ideal for experts, but its hazards are such that novices are warned to stay off. They are advised to try the "nursery trail," almost twice as long and comparatively safe.

Noted Bermuda Hotel Host Takes New Post at Nassau

NASSAU, Bahamas, Dec. 26 [Special].—Robert D. Blackman, formerly general manager of the Furness hotels in Bermuda, has been named manager of the British Colonial hotel here. In Bermuda he was in charge of the Castle Harbour, the Bermudiana, and the St. George.

Bermuda Celebrates Boxing Day; Servants Get Gifts

HAMILTON, Bermuda, Dec. 26 [Special].—Today was Boxing day on these islands. In keeping with a long established custom, Bermudians gave presents to their servants, and to the Gombey dancers who pranced thru the streets in weird native costumes.

ANGLERS FOLLOW LURE OF FLORIDA AND GULF COAST

Big Fish Are Hitting Hard in Southern Waters.

BY BOB BECKER.

Now that Santa Claus has come and gone, leaving behind him many fishing tackle gifts for the boys who like to toss lures, thousands of northern anglers have their eyes on the southern fishing front. Reports from Florida and the Gulf coast on how the sailfish, barracuda, sea trout, redfish and other salt water fighters are hitting have heightened this interest.

A number of Illinois sportsmen report success off the Florida coast. Among the Chicagoans who have connected with big sailfish are Tommy Armour, the golf pro; his brother, "Sandy," and H. F. Gephart. This party reports a thrilling battle with an 8 foot fish on light tackle [9 thread line, 6 ounce tip rod].

A Real Fighter.

Forty-five minutes elapsed before they even saw their victim on the surface. When it was finally brought to the top the fish confounded the experts by charging the boat twice before it gave up the battle.

Speckled sea trout, an ideal salt water species for the black bass caster and his light tackle, continues to hold the spotlight in the Mississippi Gulf coast fishing area. Nearly all of the successful catches being taken into Biloxi come from the backwoods streams and bayous. In fact, the trout is being caught as far back as 20 miles from the coast. This is due to the fact that there has been little rainfall in the last few weeks and the salt water has backed up into the streams and bayous.

Channel Bass Average 6 Pounds.

As is usually the case in December, the catching of speckled trout with artificial lures while trolling from outboard motors is picking up. In the last few days trout averaging 3½ pounds have been caught in Bluff creek, Swift bayou, Crooked bayou, Upper Fort bayou, Mary Walker bayou, Tchouticabouffa river, and Biloxi river.

Following a series of meetings of anglers and fishing camp operators, a series of logs is being prepared by the Biloxi chamber of commerce to guide visiting autoists to the various fishing spots and camps in all the bayous and streams which are tributaries of the Pascagoula river, Biloxi and Tchouticabouffa rivers, Fort bayou, and other nearby streams.

Travel Queries Answered

What's your travel problem? Address queries regarding where to go, how to get there, costs, and accommodations to the Travelers' Guide, Chicago Tribune, inclosing stamped, self-addressed envelope.

When and where is the next National Boat and Sports show to be held in Chicago? E. G. V.

Feb. 3 to 11 on Navy pier.

How does one get from the southern California mainland to Catalina Island? What are some of the island's attractions for the tourist? L. F.

A steamer leaves the terminal at Wilmington at 10 a. m. daily for the two hour voyage. Amphibian planes, leaving from the same dock, are available for the 15 minute flight. Among the attractions are Avalon bay, the park, with its 7,000 birds, and the interior, with its buffalo, mountain goats, and bears. Activities include golfing, tennis, swimming, fishing, and cruising in glass bottomed boats.

We expect to visit Curacao in the course of a West Indies cruise. What may we expect to see there? D. R.

Curacao is the largest of the six islands known as the Netherlands West Indies. It has made great progress since it became a refining center for the oil fields in Venezuela, but at the same time it has remained unspoiled and has managed to retain its quaintness. The population represents about 40 different races. Willemstad, the capital and chief port, is spread along a waterfront that usually is lined with tiny sailing sloops. Its canals and bridges, with the windmills near by, are reminiscent of the Netherlands. The tinted, red-roofed houses, with their curving eaves and picturesque peaks and gables, proclaim their Dutch ancestry. Willemstad is a free port; hence its shops hold a high place among bargain hunting travelers.

Please tell me when the sailing race will begin between Miami and Nassau. M. S.

Feb. 13.

How many of our Presidents came from Tennessee? W. L. B.

Three—Andrew Jackson, James K. Polk, and Andrew Johnson.

WARN AGAINST ARTIFICIAL FOOD FOR BIRD LIFE

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 26 [Special].—Artificial feeding of upland game birds in Minnesota is not in the best interests of conservation, and should not be done except in cases of emergency. This opinion was expressed today by Frank D. Blair, state superintendent of game propagation.

Artificial feeding implies the practice—by persons unduly apprehensive about the birds' ability to take care of themselves—of putting out feed in hoppers or troughs in bulk form. In this way the birds can gorge themselves with a minimum of effort, instead of scurrying around for their food, as nature intended they should.

To guard against possible shortage of natural food, the state department of conservation has coöperated with sportsmen's groups in getting farmers to plant 3,304 acres of black amber cane and 2,638 acres of millet in plots of from one-half to two acres each.

American Party to Sail for Eucharistic Congress

WELLINGTON, New Zealand, Dec. 26 [Special].—Word received in Wellington from the United States says a group of American pilgrims is being organized for the National Eucharistic congress to be held here in February. The party will sail Jan. 2 from San Francisco, Cal., and will call at Honolulu, Suva, Pago Pago, and Auckland en route.

Luxury Railroad Service to Florida Starts Monday

Next Monday will mark the opening of the luxury rail service from Chicago to Florida. All four roads running southward out of this city have announced that their crack trains will go into operation with the beginning of the new year.

DAY OF THREE KINGS REAL CHRISTMAS ON ISLE OF PORTO RICO

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, Dec. 26 [Special].—In this American possession there was no general gift giving yesterday. That will not come until Jan. 6, the Day of the Three Kings.

Instead of hanging their stockings, the children here spend the day before Three Kings day collecting grass. This they stuff into boxes, and then place the boxes under their beds, in the hope that the containers will be filled with toys.

The Three Kings are known in other parts of the world as the Three Wise Men. Because of recent American influences on the island, Dec. 25 is celebrated as Christmas to some extent. But the traditional gift day continues to be Jan. 6.

HOTEL IN CHILE BUILT 9,000 FEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL

SANTIAGO, Chile, Dec. 26 [Special].—As a part of its campaign to attract visitors from North America the Chilean government has finished work on a resort hotel 9,000 feet above sea level.

The inn stands on the shores of the glacier fed "Lake of the Incas," near the top of the pass where travelers cross the Andes from Chile into Argentina.

From the new hotel there are excursions to 23,140 foot Mount Aconcagua, the highest peak in the western hemisphere, and to the "Christ of the Andes" monument, standing on the international boundary at an elevation of 13,500 feet.

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Two Parties at Hollywood

Altho Miriam Hopkins of the films divorced Anatole Litvak, director, last fall, they appear to be enjoying each other's company at the premiere of "Of Mice and Men."

Lon Chaney Jr., who has an important role in the film, and his wife attend a party after premiere.

Reginald Gardiner, a Hollywood bachelor, escorts Paulette Goddard (Mrs. Charles Chaplin) to the premiere.

[Acme Photos.]

Rosalind Russell (left) and Bette Davis as peasants at the Christmas party of the Motion Picture Guild.

'Scandals' for a Really Tired Business Man

GEORGE WHITE'S 'SCANDALS.'
Musical revue in two acts. Lyrics by Jack Yellen. Music by Sammy Fain. Sketches by Albert Johnson. Dances by George White. Presented by George White in the Erlanger theater, beginning Monday, Dec. 25, 1939.

THE PLAYERS.

Willie and Eugene Howard	Ross Wyse Jr.
Howard	June Mann
Ann Blue	Ann Miller
Collette Lyons	Craig Mathues
Kim Loo sisters	Knight sisters
Ella Logan	[And many others.]
Billy Rayes	

BY CECIL SMITH.

The current "Scandals" is an unconvincing, rocky show, with the dazzling Ann Miller dancing of Ann Miller its high spot, and its lowest abyss a relentless dissertation upon a New York nightclub entrance requiring the curbing of Mr. White. In general it is cut to the pattern of earlier George White extravaganzas, tho with less display of both imagination and female flesh, but with the usual consignment of dirt. The chorines, as might have been expected, are of the choicest loveliness in face and figure, but they can't sing, talk or act. In short, this is a show for a business man a little duller than usual.

Miss Miller, however, is really something worth watching. Her first appearance comes in the much publicized Mexiconga number, in which her lightning precision and rhythmic quality of her dancing come as an oasis and welcome relief from the lumbering attempt of the chorus girls to deal with Mexican thematic material. Later on Miss Miller returns for a second show-stopping dance, and by this time establishes her full right to star billing among the sophisticoners of her lively art.

With Willie and Eugene Howard as the surprised jackanapes named Howard Blue, the revue has plenty of first rank comic talent. The trouble is with their material, which just refuses to scintillate, or even to sound bright, most of the time. Just before the intermission Willie Howard gets dragged into a sordid fantasia upon the virtuemes of Tin Pan alley, in which the cruel poverty of the show is indicated by the necessity of falling back upon long and boring quotations from the familiar works of established song composers.

Lest the "Scandals" sound third rate instead of second rate, I hasten to give credit where it is due. Among the better items, any of which would make satisfactory filler in a first rate show, are [1] some charades based upon the titles of well known plays; [2] a television sketch involving the ice man; [3] some whole hearted pie-throwing centered upon the unfortunate and amusing Mr. Blue; [4] a period of expert juggling by Billy Rayes; and [5] the one completely well written skit I found in the whole business, in which Willie Howard deals deftly with the supposed home life of Walter Winchell.

With nothing in particular to do, the Kim Loo sisters, a decorative quartet of Chinese girls, pass agreeably back and forth. Craig Mathues sings with the volume of a blood-crazed hyena. Ella Logan hoarsely presents a brace of typical night club songs. Collette Lyons, a rich blonde, seemed to be enjoying her own private jokes last night, but withal is a warm and likeable participant in a variety of comic episodes.

ENGAGEMENTS

At a family reunion at home in Highland Park on Christmas eve, Mr. and Mrs. George Donnersberger announced the engagement of their daughter, Antoinette, to Hubert M. Coles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Edgar Coles of Phoenix, Ariz. Miss Donnersberger is one of six daughters.

Miss Donnersberger attended Barat college in Lake Forest. Mr. Coles attended Santa Clara university in California.

At a family dinner on Christmas day Mrs. Leo P. Cummings of 3400 Lake Shore drive, announced the engagement of her daughter, Catherine M., to Joseph I. O'Neill Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. O'Neill of Phoenixville, Pa. Miss Cummings was graduated from Barat college in Lake Forest. Her fiancé is a graduate of Notre Dame.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore V. Houser of Kenilworth announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Ann, to James A. Hennessey, son of Mrs. Michael A. Hennessey of Washington, D. C. Miss Houser attended Beloit college and is now studying at the New York Academy of Fine and Applied Arts. Her fiancé was graduated from Georgetown university in Washington.

Ballet Russe Opens a Brief Stay in City

BY EDWARD BARRY.

The Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo, rested and fit after a one week Christmas layover in Chicago, moved into the Auditorium theater last night for a 10 day 14 performance engagement. On this first program the company presented one of its six new ballets and one of its two 1939 revivals.

The novelty was "Ghost Town," American in scene and conception, and with American music [Richard Rodgers], American choreography [Marc Platoff], and American settings and costumes [Raoul Pene du Bois]. In the cast last night were artists bearing such fine old Yankee names as Slavenska, Kokitch, Semenoff, and Goudovitch. [Seriously, Platoff and Du Bois *are* Americans despite their names.]

"Ghost Town" turned out to be a gay and imaginative little piece in which two modern hikers come upon an abandoned town in the Nevada wilderness and listen so credulously to the tales which an old prospector tells them that the life of the 1850s begins to take shape before their eyes. There are the town belle, the fortune hunter from the east, the Mormon missionary, stage people, and gobs of miners, dance hall girls, vigilantes, etc.

Costumes and settings are bright, choreography full of quaint and often humorous ideas, music fast moving and tuneful. The general impression which the piece makes is one of bounding life and gayety.

The two leads were danced by Mia Slavenska and Frederic Franklin, whom the audience recognized and welcomed with a patter of applause on their first appearance. Roland Guerard, as the frock coated, black hatted, spade bearded Mormon, drew a great many laughs for the patness of his comedy and the virtuosity of his dancing. Richard Rodgers, composer of the music, conducted. He was brought to the stage at the conclusion of the piece to share the rapid fire applause with which the audience was rewarding the performance.

The revival on the program was "Scheherazade," the Fokine-Bakst-Rimsky-Korsakoff classic. This is the ballet which concerns itself with high jinks in the harem and with the shah's unexpected return, and which offers such splendid opportunities for barbarically beautiful costumes and settings, for dancing of the exotic, flaming sort, and for genuinely dramatic miming.

The audience welcomed "Scheherarade" back into the répertoire, altho a few old timers reserved the right to mutter a little about Jeannette Lauret's handling of the rôle of the chief adulteress [which she made much less sultry than Tchernicheva used to] and about Andre Englevsky's enactment of the principal slave [who had somewhat less bounce than he had in Shabelevsky's day].

Chicago's renowned Apollo Musical club began its 68th season last night by presenting in Orchestra hall the traditional Christmas time performance of Handel's "Messiah." Soloists were Kathryn Witwer, soprano; Harriet Brewer, contralto; Robert Long, tenor, and David Blair McClosky, bass. Accompaniments and interludes were by a portion of the Chicago Symphony orchestra and Robert Birch, organist. Edgar Nelson conducted.

Child Violinist Is Soloist at Stock Concert

Patricia Travers, the prodigy of the violin who first played here last season with the Civic orchestra at the age of 10, returned yesterday afternoon as full-fledged soloist on the Tuesday series of the Chicago Symphony orchestra. A gracious, poised little person, she won the hearts of her sympathetic audience.

The special merits of Patricia's precocious talent were duly extolled in this column on the occasion of her debut. She still remains musically mature and sensitive beyond her years, and bold and confident in her handling of her instrument. The choice of so naïve a soloist, however, represents highly questionable judgment on the part of the orchestra management. For all her phenomenal qualities she is, of course, not able to deliver the sort of seasoned and wholly meaningful performance the orchestra's subscribers ought to demand, whether they do or not.

The musical values, such as they are, of Saint-Saëns' Third concerto lie on the surface, and the young artist presented them zealously and with an air of authority. Yet even tho I may belong to a minority, I cannot become terribly excited over the public exploitation of musical promise, as opposed to grown-up musical achievement.

Dr. Stock conducted a pleasing light program, including the Pastoral symphony from Handel's "Messiah," the tinkly Dance of the Angels from Wolf-Ferrari's "The New Life," Dohnanyi's Suite, Opus 19, and the ballet music from Rubinstein's "Feramors." Both conductor and orchestra were in top form. C. S.

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Jeannette McCartan Is Bride

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Miss Jeannette L. McCartan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Austin R. McCartan, became the bride of John T. Connery II. yesterday morning in Our Lady of Mount Carmel church. The Rev. Joseph Murray read the service, which was followed by a reception at the Drake hotel.

Miss McCartan, who had Mrs. John L. Nelson as matron of honor, wore a dress of ivory satin and rosepoint lace which had been worn by four members of the Connery family. Her veil of rosepoint lace was first worn by a lady-in-waiting at the Austrian court. Miss Caroline Floto, Miss Joeine Norcott, and Miss Nancy O'Neil were the bridesmaids.

John T. Connery Jr. was his brother's best man. The ushers were Peter Prindiville, Thomas Barrett, Herman F. Friestedt III., Dennis Carroll, and John Joseph Griffin.

Mr. Connery and his bride will spend two months in South America on their wedding trip. They will live on the near north side.

Exhibition of Italian Masterpieces Will Be Open Free Today

Admission to the exhibit of Italian masterpieces at the Art institute will be free today, thanks to the Italian government.

This is the only time that the Italian exhibition, which will be in Chicago thru Jan. 9, will be open to the public without charge. Commander Eugenio Ventura, Italian commissioner of the exhibition, said that the admission fee had been discarded for a day because of "Chicago's wholehearted interest in our works of art sent over from Italy."

Ordinarily, adults must pay 25 cents and children 10 cents to view the 29 masterpieces.

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Woman's Press Club.

Arch Ward, sports editor of THE TRIBUNE, will speak before the Illinois Woman's Press association on the evening of Jan. 4. The meeting will be in the Woman's City club quarters in the Fine Arts building.

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Sprague Family Will Attend Son's Wedding

BY JUDITH CASS.

COL. AND MRS. ALBERT A. SPRAGUE and their daughter, Miss Laura Sprague; the junior Spragues, Francis S. North Jr., Daniel H. Burman Jr., W. Robert Johnston Jr., and Mrs. Charles Garfield King are going to Minneapolis for the marriage tomorrow of Miss Anne Phelps and Otho S. A. Sprague.

The wedding will be a quiet home one at the residence in Humboldt avenue south of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richardson Phelps. The service will be read at 4:30 o'clock by the Rev. Stephen E. Keeler in the presence of the families. A reception for the families and a few close friends will follow.

The maid of honor, the bride's only attendant, will be Miss Elizabeth Foley of St. Paul. The junior Mr. Sprague will be his brother's best man. Mr. Sprague and his bride will go to Jamaica on their wedding trip. After Feb. 1 they will be at home at 1328 North State street.

Another Busy Day for the Debutantes.

A tea-dance and a supper-dance and numerous smaller parties are on the calendar for the buds and their beaux today. Miss Shirley Garnett and Miss Byrd Littlefield are the young women who will be presented formally to society.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Logan Garnett and their daughter will receive from 4 until 7 o'clock in the Crystal ballroom of the Blackstone hotel. Members of the Cornell Musical clubs, which are giving a performance tonight at the Stevens, have been invoted to the tea, so there should be lots of attractive extra men in the stag line.

Miss Garnett and her assistants and their escorts will attend the clubs' performance of "In the Red" and tnen will go to the Drake hotel for a late dinner. While Cornell alumni and the cast stay to dance in the ballroom of the Stevens following the show, most of the buds and their beaux will cross the street back to the Blackstone where Mr. and Mrs. Calvin G. Littlefield are giving a supper-dance for Miss Littlefield. It is disappointing to Miss Garnett and her parents that their eldest daughter, Mrs. Alexander Kirk, won't be able to attend the party. She is ill. Another daughter, Mrs. Donald Metz,

[Continued on page 17, column 5.]

Front Views and Profiles
By June Provines

Night Plane Passengers.

John Farwell, originator of Musico, the song title guessing game, was in New York at the time *Gone with the Wind* opened, but two blocks was as close as he could get to the theater. When he boarded a night plane for Chicago he was still excited over the spectacle of the thousands trying to get in to see the picture and he told the stewardess all about it. When an attractive young woman took the seat opposite him he chatted on, including her in the recital. When she put her coat over her knees, he gave her his lap robe and tucked her in. A tall handsome man sat down beside the girl. He looked familiar. Then Mr. Farwell realized who he was—Laurence Olivier. And the girl he had been telling about *Gone with the Wind* was Vivien Leigh.

REPLY TO MARGO.

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—*Mrs. R. M. Bartello.*

Holiday Addenda.

Most cynical telegram of the holiday season—the message Orson Welles wired Ernest Byfield from Hollywood: "Bah . . . Humbug." . . . One of Welles' Christmas presents—six boomerangs, sent him by Dr. Maurice Bernstein. . . . Clifton Webb's favorite wire received from a friend in New York, "Don't just sit there, say something," which you may have to see *The Man Who Came to Dinner* at the Harris to appreciate. Gertrude Lawrence has been burning up the telegraph wires urging Chicago friends not to miss Webb in this new fat part. . . . Paul Draper's favorite Christmas present was a bottle of Chateau Gruaud la Rose 1896. . . . The one he got the most pleasure out of giving was buying a larger Christmas tree for a child he encountered on Division street trying to buy a tiny one.

Returning Finnish Champion.

A little tale that illustrates the national pride and the solidarity of the Finnish people is told by Louise Dunbar, a buyer for a Chicago department store, who was in Finland recently on a buying trip. Arriving at Helsinki on a boat from Sweden, she heard bands playing at the dock, saw cheering crowds, and public officials, including the mayor, down to meet the boat, and other evidences of joyful welcome. Inquiring the reason for the festivities, she learned that the Finnish champion contestant in the Tribune Golden Gloves was returning home on that boat. He was Olli Lehtinen, international Golden Gloves flyweight champ.

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Danger on the Border

By FREDERICK R. BECHDOLT

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INSTALMENT XXXIX.

A SLENDER CHANCE.

When Leonard started back into the tunnel he was beginning to be afraid. There was no doubt about Kent: He was outside. And he would go on to Nogales to record the copy of the notice which he had made out.

And, in the meantime, there was 20 tons of rock to break thru. And, when he had broken thru the barrier, the greatest danger was going to face him. After the blast the nitro gases would fill the tunnel.

Perhaps he was not going to succeed in blasting his way out. And, if he did manage to rend the granite, there remained a strong likelihood that the poisonous fumes would overcome him. He would be lying inside the portal, helpless or dead, and Kent would find Pat in Nogales.

He was running now. He was speaking to Pat, as if she were nearby and could hear his promise.

"I will come to you in time." And he was making another pledge to Dillon: "I'm going to bring Collins to justice."

There was no sound in the winze when he turned the light into the depths. Collins was standing where he had been when the explosion came, his face looked very white with the great bruise and the streak of blood upon it. Leonard said:

"The portal's blocked. Kent did it." He saw the lips move, but no words came. "Do you want to die down there or do you want to take your chances beating a charge of murder?"

The lips were moving again and still there was no sound from them. Collins threw his arms above his head, his hands were clasped in supplication. Leonard laughed quietly. He was thinking of Dillon walking into the moonlight among the graves, walking stiffly like a marionette, with the prospector's pick between his shoulder blades. When he spoke again his voice was cold.

"It's solid rock. I'm going to put in a round of holes and blast it out. Can you single jack, Collins?" When the lips moved this time a word floated upward:

"Yes." The arms remained outstretched, the hands clasped high above his head.

"If I get you out of this, will you behave yourself and help?" said Leonard. And Collins answered:

"I promise. Yes."

"If you break your word, it will be just too bad," Leonard told him.

There was a coil of wire cable on the old windlass. It was rusted thin, but it would hold a man—perhaps. Leonard stepped across the plank and let it down.

"Take a turn under your arms," he called. He waited until it had been done, then he turned the clumsy crank, and when he had finished, Collins collapsed on the edge; he would have slid back if Leonard had not seized him and held him. The fall had bruised him badly, there was an ugly cut on his scalp from which the blood was still oozing slowly over his cheek. Leonard dragged him away from the brink.

"Kent shoved you in?" he asked.

Collins raised himself slowly and got to his feet. He said thickly: "I'll help you out of this, if you'll get him. That's all I want—to tell what I know about Kent."

"You'll have the chance." Leonard said.

He was wishing while he walked behind the other that the promise were as easy of fulfillment as it had been to make. He was wondering: Some day when an adventurous prospector came here and removed the barrier from the mouth of the tunnel, what would the man think, finding the two bodies side by side? And what would have become of Pat? He shut the thought from his mind. He whispered:

"Can do."

Collins went in front, he was stooping forward, his head was hanging, it wagged from side to side, his feet dragged. It was in this same manner, Leonard reflected, that a man would walk to the gallows or to the wall before which a firing squad was waiting—such a man as this.

But when they reached the timber sets at the portal and halted there, he noticed that Collins was stiffening, he was looking at the single jack and the row of steel; his eyes were no longer wide. There was a different light in them now.

"If you should take it into your head to try and pull a fast one, Collins," Leonard said quietly, "I'll be obliged to kill you, you understand." Then his voice turned harsh. "'Get that hammer and go to work. Let's see what you're good for."

It was not much. The man knew how to handle single jack and steel, but his hands were shaking. It was not the fall itself, altho he had been badly knocked about when he dived into the hole, it was the fright that had left him useless. And time was passing.

"All right," Leonard growled. "Let a man work that can work." But before he picked up the hammer and gripped the length of steel in the other hand, he bade Collins sit beside him, beyond arm's length, and out of reach from the rest of the drills. And he laid his revolver down between his knees when he seated himself in front of the granite boulder.

He was sitting before the mass of rock, in one hand the length of steel, the short handled single jack in the other. He turned the steel half round, he struck its head with the hammer, he turned the steel again and struck another blow. So it went: Turn, strike; turn, strike. His muscles were not as hard as they used to be when he was a youngster working for wages in a mine. The arm that held the hammer grew weary, it began to shake. He kept on and on. The sweat ran down his body. And all the time while his eyes were intent upon the head of the steel lest the hammer miss its mark and cripple him so that he would be unable to work, he kept his prisoner in sight.

He had thrown off his coat and shirt, he was in his singlet, bare armed, his big body was bending over the drill, his face was drawn, intent. He was pointing this first hole downard, so that the break of the shot would be toward the outside, freeing the rock when it was torn away. There would be two more holes ranging in the same direction, to carry the break across the width of the great boulder.

The arm that held the short handled hammer was growing heavier; it seemed to him as if he could not lift it for the next stroke, but when he had struck the blow, he always raised the hammer for another one. Until at last he had to rest.

"Your turn, Collins." He rose to his feet. "If you want to live, tear into it."

Collins picked up the hammer without a word. He was steadier now, his blows were stronger. But it seemed to Leonard as if he were watching a slow motion picture, and when he could stand it no longer, he took the single jack again.

Strike, turn; strike, turn; strike, turn. The starter steel ran down, he took the next length, clink-clink, clink-clink, clink-clink, he drove it to the end. The first hole was finished. The singlet was soaking wet, the dust had settled on it and caked. It was nearly an hour since he had started. The air was beginning to get heavy, and he was midway down the second hole. It seemed as if his muscles had limbered up, perhaps it was because they were growing numb to the pain. He was watching the head of the drill at every blow and he had forgotten everything save the work.

Collins was looking at the row of steel beside the timbers. He had been glancing at it every few minutes, now his regard had become more intent. There were seven of those drills, they were different lengths, eighteen inches, two feet, three feet, they were three-quarters of an inch in thickness. He let his eyes shift briefly to Leonard, and when he glanced away again his face had changed, it was alive with little crafty lines. One of those drills would smash a man's skull. If he could edge himself three feet nearer to them, they would be within reach. He was thinking of the thing that Kent had said when he came out of the darkness in the canyon. . . .

In Arizona they executed a murderer with a firing squad. He had the picture: The prison wall in the morning with the white sunshine upon it, the condemned man with the bandage over his eyes, the four guards lined up with rifles at their shoulders.

He shifted his position a few inches, watching Leonard while he did it.

[Continued tomorrow.]

GASOLINE ALLEY—NICE AND COZY

Laughton Good But Lon Chaney Keeps Crown

"THE HUNCHBACK OF NOTRE DAME."

Produced by RKO-Radio.
Directed by William Dieterle.
Presented at the Palace theater.

THE CAST.

Quasimodo	Charles Laughton
Frollo	Sir Cedric Hardwicke
Clopin	Thomas Mitchell
Esmeralda	Maureen O'Hara
Gringoire	Edmond O'Brien
Phoebus	Alan Marshal
Archbishop	Walter Hampden
Fleur's mother	Katharine Alexander
King Louis XI	Harry Davenport
Procurator	George Zucco
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Fleur	Helene Whitney
Queen of Beggars	Minna Gombell
Olivier	Arthur Hohl
Beggar	George Tobias
Phillipo	Rod La Rocque
Court Clerk	Spencer Charters

By Mae Tinée.

Good Morning!

Victor Hugo's story of the cathedral bell ringer who loved a gypsy girl and defended her against Paris in general and the king's high justice in particular is again brought to us thru the medium of the movies.

In 1923 Lon Chaney played the hunchback so effectively that the world has never stopped talking about his performance in the silent version. Today Charles Laughton essays his interpretation, which is a horrific and, at times, moving representation, but by no means the perfect achievement which was the late Mr. Chaney's. And Miss O'Hara's Esmeralda left me completely cold. Miss O'Hara is a very pretty girl with, I would say, a high opinion of her own ability, but she has yet to prove, I think, that she's an actress. . . .

The action occurs against impressive backgrounds and amidst intelligently reconstructed scenery and sets of medieval Paris. It is gloomily atmospheric and its episodes depicting cruelty are unsparing of the observer. [A black mark against the picture.] Excellent portrayals are contributed by Sir Cedric Hardwicke as the high justice, Walter Hampden as the archbishop, Harry Davenport as the king, and Thomas Mitchell as king of the beggars. . . .

The hunchback, Quasimodo, is, as you know, caretaker of the bells of Notre Dame. . . . He loves the gypsy girl, Esmeralda, whom he has seen dancing at the Feast of Fools, at which time she has also captured the fevered fancy of Frollo, the king's high justice—and Quasimodo's one time benefactor. . . . Later Esmeralda brings the hunchback water after he has been cruelly beaten and deserted, thus earning his unswerving loyalty and devotion—which causes him to save her life at the expense of his own. . . .

The picture has moments of high suspense and its mob scenes are well carried out, but the piece as a whole rubbed against the flint of this reviewer's regard without striking a spark.

See you tomorrow.

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Holiday Prom.

The Lake Shore Athletic club will hold its annual holiday prom this evening. The party, for sons and daughters of members, is to be a formal supper dance.

Numerology

By Evelyn Holmes

December 27, 1939.

A sober day for introspection and self-analysis. Put down your New Year resolutions!

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Looking at Hollywood *by Ed Sullivan*

Behind the Scenes.

Hollywood, Cal., Dec. 26.—One of the national mags approached me six weeks back with the suggestion that they'd be willing to pay handsomely for an article exposing the Christmas loot racket of the Hollywood correspondents. The editor outlined the general belief that Hollywood correspondents get holiday swag as a payoff for the good notices they have extended to pictures and performers during the preceding year. . . . I told the editor that if the major studios and stars used the holidays as a payoff station, I had been gypped and was righteously indignant.

For instance, Spencer Tracy, who was first applauded in this space a long, long time ago, didn't even send me a Christmas card. . . . Ditto Clark Gable. . . . Ditto, too, David O. Selznick, whose "Gone With the Wind" received tremendous publicity. . . . At the time I did a rave column on Hedy Lamarr it was suggested that we were having a terrific romance. . . Hedy did not send me a Christmas card. . . . Neither did William Powell, Fred Astaire, Greta Garbo, Marlene Dietrich, Bing Crosby, Carole Lombard or Frank Capra, but inasmuch as I didn't send cards to them, or wires, it was a Mexican standoff.

So far as the studio "payoffs" are concerned, I'm going to itemize the presents that have been received at this desk. . . . 20th Century-Fox sent a very tasty fruit cake . . . Max Factor sent a bottle of brandy and a bottle of Scotch and the brandy is excellent . . . M. G. M. sent a basket of dates, fruits and nuts . . . Paramount sent a liquor hamper . . . RKO sent a chain with my name spelled out in the links and I will wear it at the first opportunity . . . Gene Autry sent me a bottle of Scotch . . . Sam Goldwyn delivered a small plant . . . Walter Wanger sent a date book with a brown suede cover . . . Universal sent a set of cocktail glasses . . . Warners delivered a portable radio . . . Hal Roach sent one bottle of Scotch . . . N. B. C. sent a very handsome desk pad with a clock set in as an insert . . . All of them were remembrances that added to the holiday gayety, but obviously not designed to sabotage the integrity of a newspaper correspondent, unless the idea is to ply a writer with liquor, and thus befuddle his critical faculties. . . . If this reasoning is correct, 20th Century-Fox's fruit cake is completely bewildering.

Big social event of the week intervening before New Year's will be the formal opening of "Gone with the Wind," followed that evening by Jock Whitney's party at the Trocadero. . . . Reason for Jock's trip west is not the picture or the party. . . . If I know my Whitneys, he is using both of these as craven excuses for attending the Rose bowl game and the Santa Anita opening. . . . "Invisible Stripes" with George Raft, and "Earl of Chicago," with Bob Montgomery, also are on the preview list for the week. . . . I saw Montgomery at the Rathbone Guild party, and he said good-by as he was leaving for England, where Metro will resume production schedules.

Raft, in "Invisible Stripes," again regards the audience from prison bars. . . . I suppose that no performer ever has graduated cum laude from so many prisons as Georgie. . . . He has fashioned a successful career in such finishing schools as Alcatraz, Leavenworth, Atlanta, Sing Sing, Joliet and San Quentin. . . . So convincing is screen repetition that the other night, at the Beverly Wilshire, when he and Norma stopped at our table, a prim old lady sitting behind us sniffed audibly and said: "How can a nice girl like Miss Shearer associate with a criminal?"

Avoid Extra Poundage of Winter Period

BY ANTOINETTE DONNELLY.

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A reducing specialist once said that December is the fattening month of the year. Why not January, too? December has the advantage of running one ragged looking for appropriate gifts. In January that's over with, and the holiday festivities keep up pretty well until Lent sets in.

So our warning would be to beware of all of the winter months and don't leave all your "foregoing" until Lent rolls around. If you do you'll be in no frame of mind for self-denial. Self-denial calls for a certain amount of preparatory work. At least we haven't met the woman who has indulged and indulged herself suddenly turning over a Lenten leaf. Well, anyway, not for more than the first few days of inspired effort.

The winter months are weight-putters-on, no doubt of that. We forego salads more often, on the whole, altho a few stout souls manage to include them rightly in both noonday and dinner menus.

★ Your Stars Today ★

By WYNN

Wednesday, Dec. 27.

A very complicated day here, with plenty of pro and plenty of con on almost any subject or problem you'd care to mention. Caution is advised with elders and old schemes; also with emotional puzzles. Investigate the new and expansive.

Your Year Ahead.

Your year ahead from today, your birthday, offers self-expression, more inner harmony, attraction for others, affectional outlet. Develop self from April 6 on. From June get rid of secrets. Danger: Jan. 9-20, and Oct. 11-22, 1940.

Tomorrow.

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WINDSOR 1225 N. Clark—Open 1:30
TWO TECHNICOLOR HITS!
Alice Faye, Don Ameche, "Hollywood Cavalcade"
& Ralph Richardson, C. Aubrey Smith, '4 Feathers'

LAKE SHORE 3175 Broadway—Open 6
"CHRISTMAS CAROL"
Edw. G. Robinson, Ruth Hussey, "BLACKMAIL"
Volume 1—Standard American Encyclopedia Today

LITTLE GERMAN 2153 Lincoln Ave.
Continuous 6 P. M.
BRIGITTE HELM—GUSTAV DIESSL
"DER ERSTE WALZERSCHRITT"

ESSEX 717 SHERIDAN—OPEN 6 P. M.
BENIAMINO GIGLI'S SENSATIONAL
"FOREVER YOURS" and ESSEX HOUR
On the Stage, First in Chicago—"SCREEN QUIZ"

PLAZA 308 W. North Ave.—Mat. and Eve. Today. Tomorrow—Family Day
2 FEATURES—ALL SEATS 10c

DE LUXE 1141 Wilson Ave.—Open 1:30
"THEY SHALL HAVE MUSIC" Myrna Loy, "THE RAINS CAME"

RIDGE Deron at Clark—15c to 6:30
Petit Point Dinnerware—"Mutiny in the Big House." Ann Sothern, "Fast and Furious"

COED Open 1:45—1320 Morse Ave., at "L" Sta.
Bing Crosby, "STAR MAKER"
Cary Grant, Carole Lombard, "IN NAME ONLY"

GOLD COAST Clark & North Ave
BARBARA STANWYCK "GOLDEN BOY"

NORTHWEST

PORTAGE 4050 Milwaukee—Op. 1:30
Kiddie Revue Tonite 8:30
John Garfield, "DUST BE MY DESTINY"
Chas. Bickford, "ONE HOUR TO LIVE"
SUNDAY—ON STAGE: 5—ACTS VODVIL—5

PICKWICK Park Ridge—N. W. Hwy. at Touhy
Mat. Today—2 Technicolor Hits
Alice FAYE, Don AMECHE, "HOLLYWOOD CAVALCADE" & R. Richardson, '4 Feathers'

ADMIRAL 3 Feats.—15c 1:30 to 6:30
HELD OVER LAST DAY
Norma Shearer, Joan Crawford, "THE WOMEN"
"DUST BE MY DESTINY"—ALSO "RIO"

LOGAN Milwaukee at Sawyer—Open 1:30
Weaver Bros., "Jeepers Creepers"
Charles Bickford, "ONE HOUR TO LIVE"

DALE 2860 Milwaukee 10c
Doors Open 5:45
ALL DAY—TWO BIG FEATURES

PATIO 6008 Irving Park—Warren Hymer "CALLING ALL MARINES"
Shirley Temple, "SUSANNAH of the MOUNTIES"

MILFORD 15c 5 to 6:30 P. M. 20c after
Ladies'—Dresden Chins, 25c
Adm.—"HERE I AM A STRANGER"—"RIO"

METRO 3308 LAWRENCE
Basil Rathbone in "RIO"
Priscilla Lane, John Garfield, 'Dust Be My Destiny'

RIVOLI 15c 5 to 6:30 P. M.—20c After
2 Hits—Ladies' Dresden Chins, 25c
Adm.—"Blackmail"—"Rio"—"It's All Yours"

MOTION PICTURES NORTH

BALABAN & KATZ WONDER THEATER
UPTOWN BROADWAY LAWRENCE
1:30—Dorothy LAMOUR, Akim Tamiroff, John Howard
"Disputed Passage"
Plus Kay Kyser, Adolphe Menjou in "That's Right, You're Wrong"
Extra! Donald Duck, "Donald's Lucky Day"

GRANADA 1st Show Starts 2
"FIRST LOVE" Plus Charles Laughton "JAMAICA INN" & Bowling Novelty
DEANNA DURBIN

RIVIERA Gary Cooper, 'Real Glory' & Madeleine Carroll, Fred M'Murray, Akim Tamiroff, Allan Jones Honeymoon in Bali,' March Time War News

NORTOWN WALLACE BEERY
Western-Devon 'THUNDER AFLOAT'
CENTURY Plus Lana Turner
Clark-Diversey "DANCING CO-ED"
NORSHORE Also Walt Disney's 3 LITTLE PIGS
1st Show at 2 In New Cartoon Riot

PANTHEON James Cagney, "THE ROARING TWENTIES" & McLaglen, 'Full Confession,' 3 Little Pigs

BELMONT 3 Features—Jas. Cagney "ROARING TWENTIES" & BOB HOPE, "CAT and the CANARY" & Drama Hit, 'Full Confession,' Vic McLaglen

LAKESIDE Franchot Tone, Ann Sothern, "Fast 'n' Furious" Plus Martha Raye, Joe E. Brown, "$1,000 a Touchdown," G-Man Drama and Sportlight

COVENT Myrna Loy, Tyrone Power, "RAINS CAME" & Joel McCrea, "They Shall Have Music"

CINE' Martha Raye, Joe E. Brown, "$1,000 A TOUCHDOWN" & Fran. Tone, Ann Sothern, 'Fast 'n' Furious'

SOUTH

BALABAN & KATZ WONDER THEATER
TIVOLI COTTAGE GR.
1:30—Charles Laughton "JAMAICA INN" Marx Brothers "DAY AT CIRCUS"
Donald Duck in "DONALD'S LUCKY DAY"

BALABAN & KATZ WONDER THEATER
SOUTHTOWN 63rd ST. EAST of HALSTED
1:30—Deanna Durbin "FIRST LOVE" Doug. Fairbanks Jr. "RULERS OF THE SEA"
& Pete Smith Bowling How!—"SET 'EM UP"
TONIGHT JOE WILMAN ON STAGE
ABOUT 9 In Person
World's All-Event A. B. C. Bowling Champion

TOWER "THUNDER AFLOAT" Plus "CAT AND THE CANARY"
MARYLAND 2 TECHNICOLOR HITS
Faye-Ameche, 'HOLLYWOOD CAVALCADE'
REGAL 'THE CAT AND THE CANARY' Plus "THUNDER AFLOAT"

KIMBARK 6240 Kimbark—Anna May Wong "ISLAND OF LOST MEN"
Shearer-Crawford-Russell, "THE WOMEN"

MARQUETTE 63rd-Kedzie—Din'ware Today "ONE HOUR TO LIVE"
Joel McCrea, "THEY SHALL HAVE MUSIC"

COLONY 50th & Kedzie—Glassware Tonite "TELEVISION SPY"
Gary Cooper, Geo. Raft, "IF I HAD A MILLION"

RAMOVA 35th-Halsted—Dinnerware Today
Also "THE DAY THE BOOKIES WEPT"

SUBURBAN

NO MAN'S LAND

MATINEE TODAY
"Thunder Afloat" Wallace Beery Chester Morris
"DANCING CO-ED" Artie Shaw and his Band Lana Turner
Extra—Pete Smith, "LET'S TALK TURKEY"
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Her First Romance
Deanna Durbin, "FIRST LOVE," Gary Cooper, "THE REAL GLORY" & March Time War News

B&K CORONET Open 1:30 Matinee Daily
Norma Shearer, Joan Crawford "THE WOMEN" & John Garfield "DUST BE MY DESTINY"

B&K VALENCIA Op. 1:30, Myrna Loy, Tyr. Power 'Rains Came' & Joel McCrea "THEY SHALL HAVE MUSIC"

WILMETTE

WILMETTE 20c—1:30 TO 6:30
Joel McCrea, Jeffrey Lynn "ESPIONAGE AGENT"
Otto Kruger "SCANDAL SHEET"

HIGHLAND PARK

ALCYON Special Holiday Matinee
Ralph Richardson, J. Clements "FOUR FEATHERS" (In Technicolor)

ELMHURST

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"FOUR FEATHERS" Plus
Alice Faye "Hollywood Cavalcade"
Don Ameche

BERWYN

BERWYN Open at 1:30—Dinnerware
"FOUR FEATHERS" Plus
Faye & Ameche, "HOLLYWOOD CAVALCADE"

VILLA PARK

VILLARD Adults 15c—DION

Cornmeal Has New Role: in Good Waffles

Thursday's Menus

BREAKFAST.
Grape Juice
Cornmeal Waffles with Sirup
Milk Coffee

LUNCH.
Sauteed Eggplant, Tomato Slices and Mushrooms
Baking Powder Biscuits
Canned Cherries
Milk

DINNER.
Sausage-Stuffed Apples
Baked Sweet Potatoes
String Beans with Bacon and Vinegar
Pineapple-Banana-Nut Salad
Graham Cracker Torte
Milk Coffee

BY MARY MEADE.

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Start tomorrow right with cornmeal waffles. Add diced, cooked bacon to the batter, if you like. Bacon-cornmeal waffles with plenty of butter and a great deal of sirup are ever so good to eat.

Back this good start with sauteed vegetables for lunch, and clinch the matter at dinnertime by bringing forth sausage-stuffed apples and topping off with graham cracker torte.

Cornmeal Waffles.
[About 8 medium.]

2 cup sifted flour
1 cup cornmeal
¼ teaspoon salt
2 teaspoons baking powder
2 teaspoons sugar
2 eggs, separated
1¼ cups milk
¼ cup melted butter or margarine

Sift dry ingredients together. Beat egg yolks, add milk and melted shortening. Stir into dry ingredients, beating the mixture until smooth. Fold in the egg whites, which have been beaten until stiff. Bake waffles in a hot iron and serve with maple sirup, maple flavored brown sugar sirup, or plain sirup.

For the luncheon, slice the eggplant crosswise, peel the slices and dip them into diluted beaten egg and then into fine bread or cracker crumbs. Brown on both sides in butter. Cook sliced tomatoes and whole fresh mushrooms in the same butter and serve tomato slices and mushrooms atop the browned eggplant. Pour a white sauce or cheese sauce around the combination if you like.

Sausage-stuffed baked apples are a dinnertime treat. Choose pork links or vienna sausage, and brown it first in a skillet. Then place a sausage in each cored apple, and arrange the apples in a shallow baking dish with a small amount of water in the bottom. The apples may be lightly sprinkled with brown sugar if desired. Bake in a 375-400 degree oven until apples are tender.

Graham Cracker Torte.
[9 inch square pan.]

1½ cups finely rolled graham cracker crumbs
½ cup sugar
½ cup butter, melted
1 cup sugar
2 cups scalded milk
2 tablespoons cornstarch
4 eggs, separated
1 teaspoon vanilla
½ teaspoon cream of tartar

Mix crumbs, sugar, and melted butter thoroly and reserve half a cup of the mixture. Use rest to line bottom and sides of cake pan. Combine half the second amount of sugar, or ½ cup, with cornstarch. Add scalded milk. Cook in the top of a double boiler until thickened. Add egg yolks, beaten until light, and cook 2 minutes longer, stirring constantly. Add vanilla and cool. Pour mixture into crumb lined pan. Beat egg whites until stiff and fold in the remaining half cup of sugar and the cream of tartar. Whip until well blended, and spread over the top of the torte filling. Sprinkle the reserved crumbs over the top. Bake in a slow oven, 325 degrees, for an hour. Cool and serve with whipped cream.

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Launch Final Drive for Community Fund; More Gifts Listed

Solicitation for the Community fund, which is $100,000 short of its goal, was resumed yesterday after a Christmas lull. A. H. Mellinger, general chairman, urged officers and committees to push the campaign to completion as rapidly as possible. He acknowledged contributions of: $6,120 from the Harris Trust & Savings bank, its executives and employés; $12,403 from Goldblatt Brothers, executives and employés; $6,000 from the Chicago joint board of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America and its members; $4,393 from Maurice L. Rothschild and employés, and $4,300 from the W. F. Hall Printing company and employés.

Dress for the Schoolgirl

DRESS FOR JUNIORS.

This dress may be either a jumper or a suspender model, depending upon whether or not one wishes to have the "bib" effect. Ideal for school wear, this costume makes use of the blouse and skirt idea. Whereas the blouse may be of cotton, silk, or woolen, plain or figured, the skirt should be of woolen or velveteen for durability. Mothers will appreciate the practicality of this dress.

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Daily Guidance, Not Lectures, Helps Children

BY GLADYS HUNTINGTON BEVANS.

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It's not the long serious talk on obedience.

It's not the lecture on truthfulness.

It's not the hushed explanations about sex and reproduction.

It's not the solemn discussions of responsibility and coöperation.

It's not the sermon on unselfishness.

It's not these or any heavy handed character talk, delivered in many words, that do most to mold your child's character or form his or her habits. Just as it's not spasmodic attention, and spurts of watering, a day here and there of flooding sunshine, and a hectic uprooting of accumulated weeds that make a plant thrive and grow sturdy. The experienced gardener knows that it's many soft rains, many days of sunshine, a regular weeding, and a constantly watchful eye that makes his garden a thing to delight the eye. So it is with our children.

It's the word here, the tactful suggestion there, the daily example in keeping your promise, the seizing upon a happening to point up a desirable attitude, the praise of earnest effort, frequent recognition of small successes, ever ready responsiveness, and the answers to questions that lead and guide your child most effectively, and which in the long run make the most pervasive and lasting impression.

It's the hour-by-hour living with your children, learning to know them, to know what they need and then giving it to them, that scores highest in results.

Naturally all this is not to be absolutely sweeping. No statement can be. There are times when you have to have a serious talk with your older children about something.

But this sort of thing should be the exception, and should on the whole not be a long-drawn-out affair. In the end, it is your daily, hourly influence that means most in your children's lives.

This of course, entails more time, more trouble, more giving of yourself, but the returns are rich.

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Such ideas are embodied in our "Mothers' and Fathers' Litany." To obtain it send postage but no envelope, please. Address Mrs. Gladys Huntington Bevans, Chicago Tribune, Chicago.

Sprague Family Will Attend Son's Wedding

[Continued from page 15, column 6.]

and her husband will be there. They and their baby came from New York for Christmas. Mrs. Metz and a number of her sister's friends will assist. Miss Garnett is studying art in Boston.

Miss Littlefield was named for her great grandmother, Sally Custis Byrd of Virginia. Her debut party, also in the Crystal ballroom, will be a small one.

Dozens of parties have been planned for the Cornell show. The Clark J. Lawrences are bringing a group of their friends from Winnetka. The Gilbert H. Scribners, the Malcolm D. Vails, the James M. Carrys, the Harris E. Wilders, the Albert H. Barbers, the Arthur W. Wakeleys, the junior N. Landon Hoyts, and the Richard P. Matthiessens are others entertaining.

Gives Luncheon Today for Miss Danielson.

Mrs. Chauncey McCormick is giving a luncheon today at the Casino for her debutante niece, Miss Marion Danielson, who arrived yesterday for a week's visit with the McCormicks.

Miss Hope Baldwin of New York, the fiancée of Brooks McCormick, arrives this morning to be with the McCormick family until next Tuesday. Miss Baldwin and Miss Danielson both return east that day, the same time that Brooks and his brother, Roger, start back for Yale.

Mr. and Mrs. McCormick hope to take their sons and their guests to their farm in Naperville for the week-end.

Mrs. Edward F. Hamm Jr. is entertaining at cocktails tonight for Miss Patsy Blackett preceding a dinner-dance Mrs. Hamm's parents, the Fred W. Fairmans, are giving for Miss Blackett. Miss Blackett's debut is to be a ball at the Blackstone hotel tomorrow. She and her parents, the Hill Blacketts of Winnetka, have come in to the Racquet club for the holidays.

Mrs. Harry E. Miller has come from Philadelphia to give a luncheon at the Fortnightly today for her debutante daughter, Miss Josephine Wallace. Mrs. Walter Straub gave a breakfast for Miss Wallace and Miss Jane Darrow yesterday.

Miss Mary Ryerson is entertaining at dinner and the theater tonight for Miss Grace Shumway and Miss Marie Louise Hulburd.

Three Debutantes Will Be Luncheon Guests

Miss Cynthia Aldrich is giving a luncheon at the Indian Hill club today for three Winnetka debutantes, Miss Roxane McKenzie, Miss Anne Daughaday and Miss Alice Blair.

The Saddle and Cycle club is having its annual dinner-dance for teen age girls and boys tonight. It is expected that about 250 will attend the party, which a committee of mothers has planned. Mrs. Sangston Hettler heads the committee.

There will be young people from the city and the north shore driving west to Geneva tonight to attend a dance Jane Morton and Katherine Dryden are giving at the Geneva Golf club. Jane is at home from the San Luis school in Colorado Springs to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joy Morton II., and "Kathie" is back from Kemper Hall in Kenosha. The Perry Drydens and their six children live next to the Mortons' in Geneva.

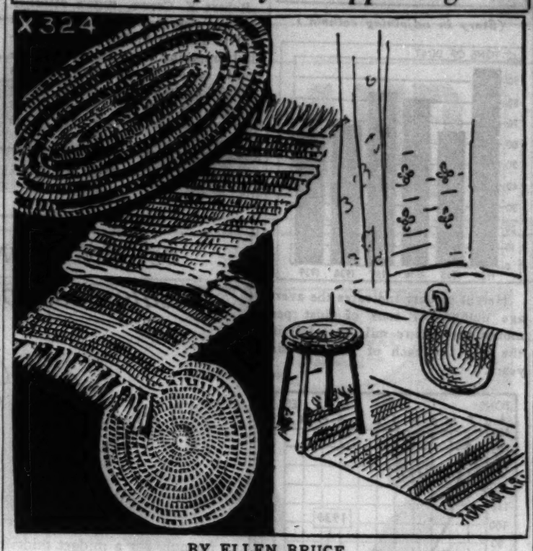
Hold Harvard Father and Son Party Today.

The Harvard Father and Son luncheon will be held at 2:30 o'clock today in the Red Lacquer room of the Palmer House. Arnold Horween, former captain and former coach, will be introduced by Victor Harding Jr.

William C. Boyden is chairman of the committee.

Mrs. Charles Peter Jaeger and her son, Peter, are arriving today from Riverdale-on-the-Hudson, N. Y., to spend a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Thomas C. White, in Kenilworth. Mr. Jaeger will join his wife later. Mrs. White is giving a tea for the Jaegers on Jan. 6 at which her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Thomas C. White Jr. will assist.

The Simplicity Is Appealing



BY ELLEN BRUCE.

The simplicity of this colorful crocheted set is unusually appealing. Fashioned of double cord, it is very durable, quickly made, and launders beautifully. The set consists of seat cover, oblong rug, and oval bath mat.

For instructions in crocheting this bathroom set, No. X-324, send 10 cents in stamps or coin to the Needlework Bureau, Chicago Tribune, 220 5th avenue, New York City.

Thru the LOOKING GLASS

Well, what are you going to do with your Christmas money? Providing, of course, that you have some.

We suggest, if you're just tired of looking at yourself [and that's a state many women find themselves in in midwinter] that you have a new hairdress. Hie yourself off to the best stylist you can find; be prepared to spend a bit more than usual and to have something quite different done to your hair.

You might not like it at first. But if you have the services of a conscientious artist it's a safe bet that if you stick to the new style for a week you'll be crazy about it. And you'll notice that a new hairdress attracts more comment from your family and friends than any change you might make in your dress or your makeup.

If you're absolutely satisfied with the way you wear your hair now you're a rare soul. But there are such, we realize, and for them we suggest that the beauty investment be one or preferably a series of beauty treatments.

If it must be just one, give yourself one luxurious day at a beauty salon and have "the works." A shampoo, of course, and a set, plus a body massage, a pedicure, a manicure, a face and neck massage, and an elegant, entirely different makeup.

You'll spend hours in a luxurious atmosphere, being handled from one expert to the other, and you'll have a most satisfying day. Best of all, you'll emerge feeling and looking like the kind of a glamor girl you've always wanted to be!

We're all for beauty-indulgences.

ELEANOR TANGLE.

Hope to Dazzle Party Guests? Wear Orchids

BY RHEA SEEGER.

Orchids are the dazzling floral adornment to wear to holiday parties. The delicate, exotic blossoms are here, packed in long boxes, some of which contain as many as two dozen.

The exquisite pale green beauties have a crisp, tailored look that makes them ideal accents for street tweeds, for beaver coats, for the swaggers in mink, for the simple seal brown wool suit or velveteen cocktail suits. These green charmers delight the copper tops and, even more, they delight the beholders of the copper tops.

No flower has that unforgettable fuchsia color like an orchid. You can find them in a deep, vibrant fuchsia or the rare blooms with pale, pale orchid dramatized with lips of fuchsia or the deep all fuchsia orchids that are so perfect with smart dull black outfits or for brocades for gala occasions.

There are some small mauve and fuchsia orchids, usually three on a stem that resemble extraordinary morning glories or columbines. Also available now are the spotted pale golden orchids, the spots of burnt sienna color and the petals of the pale gold shade.

Baby orchids are exceptionally effective for street clothes—small or large sprays with from two to five perfect miniatures of the larger flowers.

They even pack these high fashion accent flowers in a romantic manner. They are shipped by airplane or train, stem snugly held in a fat glass tube of water with a rubber top, and then covered with drifts of tattered wax paper. One ingenious florist exhibits his prize collections of beautiful white orchids on coal black shining shredded paper, and maybe you think these glamor white affairs don't make a susceptible orchid fancier spend the week's lunch money for a single blossom!

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Housing Group.

The newly organized Chicago housing problem committee, composed of representatives of leading women's organizations, will complete plans for a series of study classes at a meeting at 11 o'clock today at the Women's City club, 410 South Michigan avenue.

According to CULBERTSON

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A certain amount of suspicion regarding the opponents' bidding is a healthy trait but, like every other good thing, can be overdone. It is just as fatal to acquire the fixed idea that the opponents are "psyching" as it is to believe unequivocally that every bid they make is sound. The mere possession of several honor tricks at a time when the opponents' bidding purports to announce almost all the honor tricks, is no proof that they are "fibbing"; it must be remembered that strong *distributional values* may have actuated and justified their bids. East, in today's hand, permitted his suspicions to run away with him and, as a result, earned no match-points whatsoever on a certain board.

South, dealer.
Match-point duplicate.
North-South vulnerable.

	NORTH ♠ 10 9 ♥ K Q 10 6 5 ♦ K 7 3 ♣ Q 6 4	
WEST ♠ 8 ♥ 9 4 3 ♦ Q 10 6 5 4 ♣ 8 7 3 2		EAST ♠ A 7 ♥ A J 7 2 ♦ J 8 2 ♣ K J 10 5
	SOUTH ♠ K Q J 6 5 4 3 2 ♥ 8 ♦ A 9 ♣ A 9	

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
2 spades	Pass	3 no tr'p	Double
4 spades	Pass	Pass	Double
Redouble	5 diam's	5 hearts	Double
5 no tr'p	Pass	Pass	Double
Redouble	Pass	Pass	Pass

East was not only quite shocked, but highly incredulous when he heard South open with a two bid and North respond with a jump takeout in no trump. East took another look at his own three honor tricks and two jacks and summarily decided that such bidding could not be on the level, that either North or South must be "getting funny." East expressed this belief in no uncertain terms by doubling the three no trump bid. Obviously, North-South could have rolled up a terrific score by redoubling this contract and making a couple of overtricks, but South was afraid that East had a solid heart suit, hence decided to play safe by bidding four spades. South fully realized that his own opening two bid had been highly unorthodox, based as it was on only three and one-half honor tricks. He had justified the bid to himself on the basis that his hand was a terrific freak, but now, with no assurance of a heart stopper, preferred to play safe. For some reason or other, South's action in running from the double confirmed East's suspicion and now he proceeded to double every bid that the opponents made. West attempted to set East on the right track by running from the four spade redouble, but East had the bit in his teeth and would not take warning.

After North mentioned the heart suit, South took a different view of the hand. Now he felt that no trump would be just as good as spades, and when five hearts was doubled, ran to five no trump instead of five spades, so as to insure that the opening lead would come from the strong hand, East, and therefore go *into* instead of *thru* possible tenace positions. His decision was well taken. Against five spades, a club opening by West would have defeated the contract, but at five no trump there was no defense, even tho East found a good opening lead, namely, a diamond. North's king won and two rounds of spades knocked out East's ace. A diamond was continued and won in dummy. Now every spade was run off until this position was reached: With the last spade being played, South still had one heart and the A-9 of clubs. West's hand did not count, except that he had the high diamonds. North kept the heart king and the Q-6 of clubs. East, having to reduce to three cards, found himself in a vise. He had to hold the heart ace and the K-J of clubs, hence could not keep a diamond. Now declarer nonchalantly led the singleton heart to his own singleton king. East won, but had to return a club from the K-J to the combined tenace in the North-South hands.

If East had gauged his opponents' bidding more shrewdly, and had maintained a discreet silence, it is very possible that North-South would have reached a slam and then East would have had a *real* opportunity to double.

Tomorrow's Hand

South, dealer.
North-South vulnerable.

	NORTH ♠ 7 4 2 ♥ 9 6 4 3 ♦ A Q J 10 9 ♣ 3	
WEST ♠ K 9 8 3 ♥ J 7 5 ♦ 7 3 2 ♣ 9 7 6		EAST ♠ Q J 10 6 5 ♥ 10 8 2 ♦ K ♣ 10 8 4 2
	SOUTH ♠ A ♥ A K Q ♦ 8 6 5 4 ♣ A K Q J 5	

Mr. Culbertson will discuss this hand in tomorrow's column.

Write your bridge troubles and problems to Ely Culbertson, care of The Tribune, inclosing a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

AMUSEMENTS.

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AMUSEMENTS.

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—in—
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OPENING FRIDAY
FRANK FAY
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EDNA SEDGWICH
MARCEL LAMAZE
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SMOKE BUREAU RUNS AT PROFIT FOR A 2D YEAR

Takes In $11,598 More than It Spent.

For the second year the city smoke department will show a profit when it closes its books Saturday, Frank A. Chambers, deputy smoke inspector, said yesterday. Chambers estimated total receipts this year from boiler permits and inspection fees, at $111,300 or $11,598 more than he spent on salaries and supplies. Last year the department had a $13,148 profit.

In previous years it had an annual loss and the deficit was made up from the city operating fund. In 1938 the bureau started enforcing a new law requiring the annual inspection of heating and power plants in all buildings except one and two family dwellings, with an inspection fee attached.

43,188 Furnaces Inspected.

During the present year, 43,188 furnaces have been inspected, compared to 37,815 last year. The department, which also inspects heating systems where excess smoke is pouring from stacks, observed and investigated 303,168 such stacks, compared to 258,867 the previous year.

Chambers attributed the increase in work this year to the fact that early in 1938 he was given 27 additional men. He said they operated more efficiently this year.

Chambers also reported the average dust fall in Chicago has been reduced to 65.6 tons per square mile in Chicago in 1939, compared to 69.5 tons in 1938 and 83.1 in 1937.

The dust fall report also shows that the neighborhood of State and Adams streets has more dust than any other of 20 recording stations in the city. The station there showed 148.4 tons per square mile, but last year it showed 170 and the year before 192.2.

Cleanest Station in City.

The cleanest station was at 7350 Pratt boulevard with a recording of 25.5, a slight increase over 21.4 of 1938.

Comparative figures by months in tons per square mile for 1938 and 1939 follow:

Month	1939.	1938.
January	52.3	61.1
February	76.4	55.8
March	82.8	85.7
April	57.3	84.8
May	79.5	64.1
June	69.0	63.5
July	47.7	74.4
August	45.1	71.9
September	76.9	64.5
October	82.7	73.1
November	58.2	72.9
December	*58.3	61.7

*Estimated.

The following table shows the locations of test stations with comparative figures for both years:

Location	1939.	1938.
State and Adams streets	148.4	170
2211 Wabash avenue	105.5	89.9
819 West 45th street	59.9	64.2
57th and the Lake	45.4	45.5
7325 Jeffery avenue	43.2	42.5
65 West 113th place	59.8	46.9
8853 Marquette avenue	68.4	55.5
62d and Linder avenue	51.2	49.5
6330 Claremont avenue	69.4	69.3
7557 Eggleston avenue	91.7	76.8
1620 West 99th street	41.0	33.6
3606 Ogden avenue	102.3	99.3
1340 Monroe street	99.1	97.7
5055 Fulton street	37.0	37.1
1513 North Western avenue	60.3	59.4
5606 Belden avenue	45.8	45.5
7350 Pratt boulevard	25.5	21.4
1849 Larrabee street	57.4	71.6
3532 Sheffield avenue	54.1	78.7
1623 Pratt boulevard	47.5	49.8

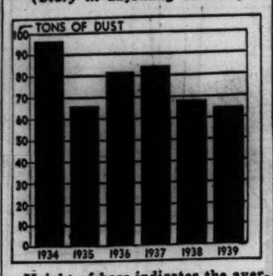
Chambers attributed the gradual decline in dust fall to the work his department has done to educate operators of heating plants to the importance of smoke abatement both from a health and efficiency standpoint.

SLUGGED AND ROBBED OF $889.

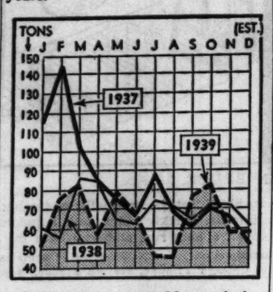
Sam Keller, 45 years old, owner of a corset shop at 3317 Roosevelt road, was knocked unconscious by a blow from a revolver and robbed of $889 yesterday by two bandits who intercepted him at Fillmore street and Central Park avenue while he was driving to a bank.

Dust in Chicago

(Story in adjoining column.)



Height of bars indicates the average number of tons of dust per month per square mile that fell in the city for each of the last six years.



Graph shows monthly variation in tons of dust per square mile in Chicago in the last three years.

PAYMENT TO AGE PENSIONERS HITS RECORD IN STATE

Average Check This Month Is $20.03.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 26 (AP).—Old age pension payments in Illinois averaged more than $20 per pensioner during December for the first time since the old age assistance program began in July, 1936.

Average grants of state and federal funds to 138,776 persons on the pension rolls were $20.03 for this month, the welfare department reported today. This marked an increase of $1.51 from the average of a year ago.

30 Millions Paid in Year.

The number of pensioners also was at a new high. The total of 138,776 is 961 more than in November, and 14,388 more than in December a year ago. The state's old age assistance rolls, which continued to grow monthly during the year, are the largest in the nation.

John C. Weigel, acting superintendent of old age assistance, said a pension outlay of $2,779,040 this month brought total pension payments for the year to $30,716,423.

These payments—based in Illinois upon need as determined by the pension division—probably will be boosted further during the first part of 1940 under Gov. Henry Horner's plan for a special session of the legislature to act on increasing the maximum grants from $30 to $40.

Horner Favors Higher Grant.

Effective Jan. 1, the federal government starts contributing to the states up to $20 per month per pensioner, if the state pays an equal sum. The federal contribution previously has been $15, which also is the amount of state payment under the present law.

Gov. Horner has asserted he favors amending the Illinois act to conform to the higher grant.

Altho the federal social security board already has made a $4,491,069 allocation to Illinois for the first three months of next year, state officials said a supplemental grant probably would be forthcoming as soon as the legislature acts, so that the pension boost in this state would be retroactive to Jan. 1.

Robt. E. Crowe to Undergo an Operation for Cataract

Robert E. Crowe, state's attorney of Cook county for two terms from 1920 to 1928, is in Presbyterian hospital preparing to undergo an operation to remedy a cataract. Physicians said last night the date of the operation has not been set. Crowe, who is now engaged in private practice, is 60 years old.

Truck Chain Lassoes Bike; Leaves Boy on Highway

Brunswick, Ga., Dec. 26 (AP).—The driver and police were at a loss to figure how a bicycle happened to be dangling from a chain at the rear of a heavy truck. Back-tracking, they found Billy Duke waiting for his bike some miles down the road. He said the swinging truck chain had lassoed the bicycle and tossed him to the pavement unhurt.

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5. **Prints Charming.** Rayon print swing skirt, wide contrasting belt. Black, brown, navy. 11-17. 6.50.

6. **Stripes Awhirl.** Spun rayon shutter-pleat skirt, a gay whirl of stripes. Rose, tan. 11-17. 6.50.

7. **Whirlwind.** Contrasting spun rayon, pleated skirt. Beige-green, blue-copper, grey-royal. 11-15. 7.98.

8. **Perfect Twosome.** Spun rayon, zip jacket lined to match dress. Wine, royal, brown. 11-17. 7.98.

Daytime Dresses, Third Floor.

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LANE QUINTET'S TRIUMPH SETS PACE ON MIDWAY

Beats Harrison in Overtime, 28-26.

BY HOWARD BARRY.

High school basketball followers got an idea of what they may expect during the coming season by studying the results of the first afternoon and evening play in the annual University of Chicago interscholastic tournament, which opened yesterday in the Midway fieldhouse.

When half of the first round games had been run off, Amundsen, Farragut, Lane, Foreman, Von Steuben, Hyde Park, Sullivan, and Wells were still in the running for one of the most highly prized trophies in Chicago high school basketball. This tournament is a survival of the event which drew the most powerful teams of the country until recent years, when it was transformed into a Chicago event.

Three Teams Impressive.

Farragut, which beat Englewood, 37 to 16; Lane, which beat Harrison, 28 to 26, and Hyde Park, which beat Washburne, 44 to 22, in first round encounters, all showed themselves of potential championship caliber.

The Lane-Harrison game was particularly sensational. With 90 seconds to go, Lane was leading, 26 to 20. Then two long shots by Harrison cut the Lane advantage to 26 to 24. In the last 20 seconds Ed Moseley of Harrison let go with a one-handed toss from the neighborhood of the free throw line. It swished thru the net, tying the score. After about 20 seconds of the sudden death overtime, Norman Schroeder, a starting guard who had not yet scored a point, took a pass under the basket and hooked in the winning points for Lane.

Pasternak Scores 15 Points.

Milo Pasternak, Farragut center, was the high scorer of the day. He made six field goals and three free throws to contribute 15 points toward his team's victory over Englewood. Bill Davis, Hyde Park center, made six baskets and two free throws as his quintet beat Washburne. In that same game, Guy Ciaroni of Washburne distinguished himself by getting 13 out of his team's 22 points. Murphy scored 14 points in Von Steuben's 37 to 24 victory over Gage Park.

In other first round games Amundsen beat Kelvyn Park, 33 to 14; Foreman beat Harper, 36 to 22; Sullivan beat Parker, 23 to 20, and Wells beat Du Sable, 27 to 21.

Eight more games this afternoon and evening will conclude the first round. Crane Tech, the defending champion, will meet Senn at 8 p. m., while Austin, the runner-up, will oppose Schurz at 2 p. m. Play will continue thruout the week. After a rest on Sunday the finals will be

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Midway Scores

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.
Amundsen, 33; Kelvyn Park, 14.
Farragut, 37; Englewood, 16.
Lane Tech, 28; Harrison, 26.
Foreman, 36; Harper, 22.
Von Steuben, 37; Gage Park, 24.
Sullivan, 23; Parker, 20.
Hyde Park, 44; Washburne, 22.
Wells, 27; Du Sable, 21.

TODAY'S GAMES.
1 p. m.—Manley vs. Tuley.
2 p. m.—Schurz vs. Austin.
3 p. m.—Waller vs. Lindblom.
4 p. m.—Tilden vs. McKinley.
5 p. m.—Taft vs. Calumet.
6 p. m.—Phillips vs. Marshall.
7 p. m.—Crane vs. Senn.
8 p. m.—Kelly vs. Hirsch.

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SHE DID PLENTY TO ME—SHE STOLE MY JOB! SO THE WAY THINGS HAVE TURNED OUT PLEASES ME PLENTY—HA-HA! CRIME DOESN'T PAY!!
Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.
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I DON'T LIKE THAT DAME—
GUS EDSON

Fight Decisions

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS.
At New York—Johnny Bellus stopped Paul De Kalb [6]; Allie Stolz beat Pablo Dano [8].
At White Plains, N. Y.—Jimmy Vaughn beat Matt Perfetti [8]; George Zeltz beat Anton Pappas [6].

Engle of 1912 World Series Fame Is Dead

Boston, Mass., Dec. 26 (AP).—Arthur C. [Clyde] Engle, who set off the rally that enabled the 1912 Boston Red Sox to gain a world series triumph over the New York Giants, died of a heart attack today in his hotel quarters here. He was 56, and for the last 18 years had served as Yale freshman baseball coach under his old friend, Smoky Joe Wood.

In the tenth inning of the eighth game of the 1912 series—the second game ended in a 6-6, 11 inning tie—Engle hit a fly that was muffed by Outfielder Fred Snodgrass. That error was the break that enabled the Red Sox to come from behind and finally give Wood an 11 inning, 3-2 victory over the late Christy Mathewson.

As a result, Wood became the fourth pitcher in world series history to win three straight games. The others who performed that feat before him were Mathewson in 1905, Charley Adams of Pittsburgh in 1909, and Jack Coombs of the Athletics in 1910.

Engle came to the Red Sox from the New York Highlanders in 1910 as a third baseman and outfielder. He also played with the Toronto and Newark International league clubs, and with Buffalo in the outlaw Federal league. In recent summers he was a scout for the Toronto club.

After his retirement as a player, Engle was baseball coach at the University of Vermont before joining Wood at Yale.

CHICAGO BRUINS LOSE, 37 TO 31, TO DETROIT EAGLES

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 26 (AP).—The Detroit Eagles, leaders of the eastern division, tonight dealt the first defeat of the season to the Chicago Bruins, leaders of the western section, in a National league basketball game. The score was 37 to 31.

Thus the Eagles avenged a defeat at the hands of the Bruins in Chicago earlier in the season.

Nat Frankel, long shot expert from New York, whipped in shots from all angles and the Eagles led thru the last 33 minutes.

The Eagles kept the Chicago offense bottled so well that Wilber Kautz, all-American guard from Loyola, didn't score a single goal and the entire team made only eight baskets. Lineups:

DETROIT [37]	B	F	P	CHICAGO [31]	B	F	P
Torzoff,f	5	1	2	Horan,f-g	0	1	1
Jeanette,f	1	3	3	Johnson,f	1	4	0
Wintermute,c	2	0	3	Novak,c	5	3	1
Frankel,g	6	2	2	Oram,g	0	1	3
Holland,g	1	0	1	Kautz,g	0	2	3
Opper,f	0	0	0	Linskey,f-c	2	2	2
Stankey,c-g	0	0	3	Phillips,g	0	2	2
Moodler,g	0	1	1				

Free throws missed—Jeanette [2], Frankel [2], Holland, Johnson [2], Novak, Oram, Kautz [2], Linskey, Phillips.

MIZE FINALLY REACHES GOAL AS BATTING KING

BY IRVING VAUGHAN.
[AVERAGES ON PAGE 21.]

The St. Louis Cardinals, known as the Gas House Gang, didn't win the 1939 National league pennant, but they had plenty of fun in other ways. Johnny Mize, one member of the gang, topped the circuit in hitting, according to official figures; Don Padgett, another member, eclipsed Mize's mark, but couldn't take the crown because of not playing a minimum of 100 games, and Joe [Ducky] Medwick, also a Gas Houser of importance, was right on the leader's heels.

Mize's bat caused enemy pitchers so much annoyance that he finished his season's effort with an impressive .349 in 153 of his team's 155 games, thus landing an honor for which he made futile bids in both 1937 and '38. In '37 he had an average of .364, but despite its size was 10 points smaller than Medwick's winning figure. In 1938 Mize batted .337, but again was nosed out, in this instance by Cincinnati's Ernie Lombardi's .342.

Mize Wins Home Run Title.

Mize and his pals also picked up some other items during their six month job which might have landed them in the world series if the season had lasted another two weeks. Mize was the league's best home run expert with 28 and set the pace in total bases with 353. Enos Slaughter was the two base hit specialist with 52.

Altho their team hitting was a modest fifth place .266, the Cubs managed to snare a few odds and ends. Billy Herman, who formerly devoted much of his time to two baggers, concentrated on triples and compiled 18 of them, two more than Ival Goodman of the Reds. Hank Leiber was the only man in the league to hit three homers in one game. He did it July 4 against the Cardinals. Stanley Hack, who, like Herman, played in all the Cub games, stole 17 bases, tying with Lee Handley of the Pirates for the base larceny title.

Three Cubs in .300 Group.

Only three Cubs were skilled enough to survive in the .300 class. Leiber topped Gabby Hartnett's pack with .310 to finish eleventh on the list and he earned a little distinction by stealing one base. Herman finished with .306 and Augie Galan had .304. Hack played a .297 tune and the next Cub on the list was Manager Hartnett with .277.

Among unusual events during the year was a home run by Johnny Cooney of the Bees off Henry Gumbert of the Giants on Sept. 24. Cooney has spent 14 years in the National league and the homer was his first. The Reds had the longest winning streak—12 games, and the Pirates the most imposing losing streak—also 12 games. Frank McCormick, the Reds' first sacker, was the best hit producer. He led with 209 safeties, the same total that gave him similar honors the season before.

In the Wake of the News

BY ARCH WARD.

THE Marquette university athletic board is reported to have given Paddy Driscoll, head football coach, and his complete staff the "go ahead" signal for 1940. . . . Driscoll is serving the last year of his current three year contract. . . . Burleigh Grimes has collected four years' salary for two years' work. . . . He signed to manage the Dodgers for two years and was fired after serving one; then he went to Montreal under a similar agreement and again was given the air. . . . Santa Clara and Michigan State will continue their football relations for at least four more years. . . . The third game will be played in East Lansing next fall. . . . Beaumont of the Texas league, which has held out against night baseball, has been ordered to play at least two postsupper games a week in 1940 by the parent club, the Detroit Tigers. . . . This is taken to mean that the lights will be turned on in Briggs stadium, too, next summer. Fishermen of the United States spend nearly $1,000,000,000 in pursuit of their hobby. . . . Jimmy Slack, a British prize fighter, is credited with the doubtful honor of introducing the rabbit punch—in 1740. . . . Great Britain is a nation of betters. . . . Its annual turnover in football pools, dog racing, slot machines, and horse racing is estimated at more than $2,000,000,000. . . . Lee Tevis, a Beaumont [Tex.] high school half back, scored 21 points in a game, altho his team was credited with only 19. . . . The other two were the result of a safety. . . . Paul Derringer, Cincinnati Reds' pitching ace, is known as both Duke and Slim by his teammates. . . . Opposing batsmen have another name for him. . . .

Paul Derringer.

Paddy Driscoll.

Experts in such matters figure that only 7 per cent of the horse players show a profit at the end of a year. . . . Extra points and goals from the field decided 209 college football games this season. . . . Hollywood film producers hope to cast Babe Ruth, Strangler Lewis, Bill Tilden, Jack Dempsey, Red Grange, and Bobby Jones in an opus to be titled "Champions." . . . Everett Marshall, the heavyweight wrestler, grapples with a 300 pound sandbag each day when he's in training, which is practically all the time. . . . One of the reasons why Joe Medwick is not expected to go to the Cubs or the Dodgers is that he prefers to play in St. Louis. . . . Newport News, Va., has the nation's largest golf museum. . . . Henry Armstrong probably will retire next spring and concentrate on the movies. . . . He already has appeared in one film, which made a hit in the Harlems of the nation. . . . Aubrey Devine, Iowa's Nile Kinnick of 1921, won a recent golf tournament in Los Angeles with a 77.

Ma Knows Pa.

About this time most every year,
As New Year's day comes drawing near,
My pa declares, before the world,
He'll quit the filthy weed.

He's thru with smoking now for good,
And wants it clearly understood
There's not the slightest likelihood
His meerschaum pipe he'll need.

He holds his good right hand up high,
And glances upward at the sky;
I know he means it, every word;
He's done it lots before.

He throws his best cigars away,
And says he'll never rue the day
That he quit smoking; come what may,
He's thru forevermore!

But ma just sighs, for well she knows
How pa's one resolution goes.

—Kay Elm.

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One Man's Opinion.

Down south, at this time of year, the boll weevil seems to be giving way to the bowl evil.

—Waste Basket Willie.

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The Wake Depends Upon Its Friends.

You Can't Have Everything.

I was over at a friend's house the other night and when I asked him why his books were strewn all over the house, on tables, window sills, and even on the floor, he replied: "It's darned hard to borrow a book case."

—Bill Downs.

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Dumbell Pome.

Of all sad words of tongue or pen
The saddest are not: "It might have been."
What chills me to my very toes
Is "Photo finish—he lost by a nose."

—Yetive.

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Pet Peeve.

The Douglas park elevated.

—Lydia T.

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Sudden Thoughts.

Statistics tell us there are more than 3,000,000 married women employed in this country. Therefore, I have reached the conclusion that it is a poor woman, indeed, who can't afford a man nowadays.

—Joseph Charles Salak.

Many a man who would walk a mile for a cigaret wouldn't turn around to flip his ashes into a tray at his elbow.

—The Austin Kid.

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HAWKS RELEASE KARAKAS, RECALL ROOKIE GOODMAN

BY EDWARD BURNS.

All those goals the National league boys have been making against the Blackhawks may or may not have been the fault of Goalie Mike Karakas. Whatever the facts in the scoring matter, Paul Goodman will be the Hawk goalie tonight when the Chicagoans go against the New York Americans in Madison Square Garden and Karakas will be pressing his new Providence uniform.

The blowoff, the firing of Karakas and his replacement by Goodman, came yesterday after the Hawks had dropped the second game of their current road trip, to the Boston Bruins, 6 to 3. The fuse had been really sputtering as a result of a 7 to 1 spanking the Hawks took at the hands of the Rangers in the first game of the trip, in New York Saturday night.

Total Didn't Help, Either.

While these recent scores, 13 goals in two games, set Manager Paul Thompson pitching and tossing in his sleep, if any, Paul on other occasions had done some lofty pitching and tossing because of the pucks that went behind Mike, notably on Nov. 5 when the Canadiens won, 3 to 2, in Montreal and on Nov. 30 when the Rangers won here, 7 to 2. And the total for the season's 17 games didn't help Mike's cause much either—58 for an average of more than three goals a game. And all this with item starved sports columnists and broadcasters bellowing that hockey is losing its vogue because of too little scoring for the American appetite!

Tho he has been Hawk property for more than three years, Goodman has never played for the Hawks in a regularly scheduled National league game. He played the second game in the historic 1938 Stanley cup playoffs, after Alfie Moore's disqualification following the Hawks' opening victory over the Maple Leafs, Karakas played the last two games despite a broken toe. Both were won by the Chicagoans to give them the world championship.

Reports to New York.

Each year since he has been owned by the Hawks, Goodman has gone thru the fall training period with them. This year, for the first time, hints came from the training camp that Goodman would be in the Hawk nets at the outset of the National league campaign. However, during the exhibition season, it was announced he had been placed with the Providence Reds, subject to immediate recall. He was recalled yesterday under this option with a minimum of red tape, and forthwith joined the Hawks in New York.

Among hockey fans there are several schools of thought anent high scoring against the Hawks, only one blaming Karakas for the major portion of grief. Others blame inept work by the Hawk defense pairs, who sometimes worked clumsily to give the opposition wide open shots at

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College Basketball

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS.
Bradley, 40; California, 30.
Macomb Teachers, 42; Oregon, 40.
Southern California, 57; Long Island U., 49.
Texas, 54; Manhattan, 32.
Stanford, 45; Baltimore, 43.
Centenary, 38; Wabash, 19.
Washington college, 45; Florida, 30.
Utah State, 60; College of Idaho, 35.

Evert, Larned in 3d Round of Junior Tennis

New York, Dec. 26 (AP).—The eight seeded players in the National Junior Indoor Tennis tournament advanced to the third round today. But one of them, little Jimmy Evert, second-ranked Chicagoan, had to stay overtime to catch up with the other favorites.

From top-seeded William Umstaedter down to eighth-seeded George Collins, the other ranking entrants received first round byes and advanced to the third round by winning their second round encounters. But Evert had to beat Francis Rice of New York, 6-1, 6-0, and Walter Preston of Hamtramck, Mich., 6-1, 6-2, before he could take his place with the other seven.

Umstaedter, the Milburn, N. J., and Louisiana State university youth, won in easy fashion from Adrian Hirshhorn of New York, 6-1, 6-4, and Dick Bender of Westfield, N. J., seeded third, ousted Grant Small of New York, 6-0, 5-7, 6-2.

Gardner Larned, Evert's fellow Chicagoan, rated behind Bender in the draw, toppled Stanley Roggenburg of New York, 6-0, 6-4, while Melvin Schwartzman, the first of four New Yorkers who complete the seedings, eliminated Ed Burke, also of New York, 6-1, 6-2. The other seeded winners were Judah Lober, Fred Krais, and George Collins. Results in the boys' division:

FIRST ROUND.
Andy Arkin, New York, beat Vincent Richards Jr., New York, 6-0, 6-0.
Irvin Dorfman, New York, beat Jack Sullivan, New York, 6-3, 6-0.
Albert Shafer, Tarrytown, N. Y., beat Alton Day Jr., Caldwell, N. J., 6-1, 6-3.

SECOND ROUND.
Bobby Bensinger, Washington, D. C., beat Mitchell Polstein, New York, 6-4, 6-2.
Jack Geller, New York, beat Philip Drake, Flushing, N. Y., 6-0, 6-0.

RUTH'S DAUGHTER TO MARRY KEEPER OF WINTER LODGE

New York, Dec. 26 (AP).—They met at a golf club where her dad, George Herman [Babe] Ruth, was playing, and their future home will be a ski lodge.

So said Richard Wells Flanders, 31, and Mr. and Mrs. Ruth's pretty daughter, Julia, 23, who plan to be married in June.

For about eight months in the year, they said today, they'll live at the Cranmore Mountain lodge which Flanders owns, at Kearsarge, N. H.

Flanders is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Walter H. Flanders of Melrose, Mass.

TROJANS SNAP VICTORY STRING OF 42 GAMES

Garden Attendance Record Broken.

New York, Dec. 26 (AP).—Before the largest crowd ever to see a college basketball game in Madison Square Garden—18,245—the University of Southern California Trojans snapped Long Island university's winning streak of 42 straight victories, 57 to 49, tonight.

The Californians were the second Pacific coast team to break a lengthy L. I. U. winning streak. Stanford defeated Long Island after it had won 43 straight two years ago. Tonight's attendance for a double header attraction surpassed the old Garden record of 18,233 set last January when four metropolitan teams were in action.

In the opening game a rangy University of Texas team, Southwest conference champions, whipped Manhattan college, 54 to 32. The Longhorns got away to a 28 to 17 lead at half time and thruout the contest limited Manhattan to 12 field goals, mostly from long range, while getting 23 themselves, seven by W. D. Haupt, center. Haupt was high scorer with 17 points.

Lead 29 to 27 at Half.

Ralph Vaughn of Frankfort, Ind., sparked the Trojans to victory in the second game with his magnificent offensive play, scoring nine field goals. U. S. C. also was aided tremendously by the brilliant under-the-basket defensive play of Leonard Berg.

The score was tied four times in the first half and the lead changed hands 12 times. Southern California went off the court at the half leading, 29 to 27.

The second half was all U. S. C. Keeping up their blistering pace, the Trojans rode up and down the court, scoring almost at will, while the Blackbirds hit a cold streak that kept them out of the scoring column for a 7 minute stretch.

Vaughn Scores 19 Points.

Vaughn, hailed as great as Stanford's Hank Luisetti, almost lived up to that notice, playing the whole game without committing a personal foul and scoring 19 points for top marksmanship honors.

Long Island, trailing by 13 points late in the second half—the largest spread of points in the game—unloosed Dolly King, their Negro defensive star, to spurt momentarily, but the ball hawking Trojans wound up the game with the ball in their possession.

King's 15 points led the Blackbirds' scoring. Lineups:

U. S. C. [57].	B	F	P	LONG ISLAND [49].	B	F	P
Vaughn,f	9	1	0	Schwartz,f	1	2	3
Morrison,f	2	3	1	Simon,f	3	0	2
Berg,f	1	0	0	Sharf,f	1	0	2
Sears,c	3	4	3	Schectman,f	3	1	4
Lambert,c	0	4	1	King,c	6	3	1
Lippert,g	5	0	1	Lobello,g	5	4	3
McGarvin,g	1	1	4	Shelly,g	0	1	1
Luber,g	2	1	2	Walters,g	0	0	0

Free throws missed—Schectman [3], Vaughn [2], Sears [2], Lambert, Luber, King.
Officials—Pat Kennedy and Ed Kearney.

TEXAS [54].	B	F	P	MANHATTAN [32].	B	F	P
Granville,f	0	0	2	O'Rourke,f	1	0	0
Hull,f	5	0	0	Crist,f	0	0	1
Cooler,c	2	3	1	Thompson,f	0	0	0
Haupt,c	7	3	3	Schwitter,f	0	1	0
Spears,g	4	1	2	Cunningham,f	1	0	0
Moers,g	5	1	2	Reynolds,f	0	0	2
Croucher,g	0	0	0	Flanagan,c	3	4	1
				Jordan,c	0	1	1
				Sarullo,c	2	1	3
				Kravetz,g	5	1	3

Free throws missed—Cooler, Haupt, Moers, Sarullo.
Officials—Willie Grieve and Frank Brennan.

Georgia Coleman Given Eighth Blood Transfusion

Hollywood, Cal., Dec. 26 (AP).—Diving Champion Georgia Coleman, ill of a liver ailment, received her eighth blood transfusion in recent weeks last night. Her physician, endeavoring to increase her strength for an operation, said there had been a slight setback in her condition.

BASKETBALL . . . HOCKEY . . . TENNIS . . . BASEBALL . . . FOOTBALL

Amundsen's basketball team celebrates in dressing room after its 33 to 14 victory over Kelvyn Park in opening game of annual Chicago tourney yesterday. Happy gent at right is Coach S. Farber. [TRIBUNE Photo.]

Paul Goodman, rookie goalie, recalled from Providence by Hawks to replace Mike Karakas. [TRIBUNE Photo.]

Seeded players in National Junior Indoor tennis meet which opened in New York yesterday include J. Evert (left), Senn High; G. Larned (center), Morgan Park; G. Collins, Princeton. [Associated Press Wirephoto.]

John Mize, St. Louis Cardinal first baseman who won National league batting crown. [TRIBUNE Photo.]

Coach Wally Fromhart (right) holds final conference with members of Mount Carmel's football team before Catholic league champs entrain for West Palm Beach, Fla., where they play a high school all-star eleven from Palm Beach on Saturday night. [TRIBUNE Photo.]

INJURY TO KNEE STILL HANDICAPS TENNESSEE STAR

Cafego Eases Up in Drill for Rose Bowl Game.

An Air Raid

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 26 (AP).—A Tennessee National Guard squadron of 7 bombing planes will fly Gov. Prentice Cooper and his party to Pasadena, Cal., for the Rose bowl football game, weather permitting. The trip was authorized by the war department as a training flight.

Pasadena, Cal., Dec. 26 (AP).—Tennessee's football fans took a private peep at two important aspects of the approaching Rose bowl game today and felt none too elated over what they saw.

One gaze was directed on the University of Southern California football team. The sight of this big aggregation, while far from discouraging the Vol backers, certainly didn't tend to heighten their spirits.

Cafego Takes It Easy.

The other peep was aimed at George [Bad News] Cafego, star back of the Volunteers, and his much discussed knee. Cafego reinjured the knee in a secret practice yesterday and, in the words of Mickey O'Brien, the team trainer, "won't see any hard work between now and the game."

"We won't know whether he'll be able to do much playing until he gets in the game." O'Brien said.

Coach Bob Neyland sent the Vols

GEORGE CAFEGO.

thru a hard practice with Cafego alone taking it easy. Strict privacy will continue for the workouts the remainder of the week.

At Southern California, Coach Howard Jones opened the gates for a day to let the Southern delegation see the team in action. After today U. of S. C. goes into seclusion, too.

Turner, Giant West Center, Hurt in Drill

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 26 (AP).—A 20 minute scrimmage left Clyde Turner, 221 pound Hardin-Simmons center, on the sidelines today as the West team lined up for another practice session for the East-West charity football game here Jan. 1.

Turner emerged from the brief holiday drill with a charley horse in the thigh, and Coaches Orin Hollingbery and Biff Jones said the Texan probably will not be back in uniform for a few days. The alternate Western center is Johnny Schiechl, Santa Clara. Other casualties were Bob Smith, Oregon half back, and Leroy Zimmerman, San Jose State full back, both with sore ankles.

"We didn't plan the scrimmage in advance," Coach Hollingbery explained, "but when we heard the East was scrimmaging we figured we'd better get in a little contact work, too."

The East boys scrimmaged for the second time yesterday and wound up without injury. "We've been lucky so far," said Coach Andy Kerr of Colgate. He planned one more heavy scrimmage.

Lou Brock of Purdue, Ben Kish of Pittsburgh, and Johnny McLaughry of Brown, all powerful ball carriers, dominated yesterday's scrimmage which was marked by the line backing of the East centers, John Haman of Northwestern and Steve Andrako of Ohio State.

NORTH IMPRESSIVE

Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 26 (AP).—A wide open game appeared in prospect today as northern and southern coaches sent their 44 All-Star charges thru two drills preparatory to Montgomery's Blue and Gray game Saturday.

Don Principe, Fordham back, and Bill Hutchinson, Dartmouth passing star, gained most attention from Coaches Carl Snavely of Cornell and Lynn Waldorf of Northwestern as they reviewed plays which brought the Yankees a 7 to 0 victory a year ago.

Young Bussey of Louisiana State and Ken Heineman of Texas Mines won most attention from Ray Morrison of Vanderbilt and Josh Cody of Florida, southern coaches. Morrison, who perfected the razzle dazzle at Southern Methodist a few years back, got such a kick out of his squad's drill he drifted down time and again as interference for Ken Kavanaugh, L. S. U. star, and Bill Bailey, Duke's big end.

As Principe ripped into the line, in a fashion similar to that he exhibited against both Alabama and Tulane, onlookers failed to see how their boys could stop him.

TERRY AND THE PIRATES—COMING WITH A LOAD ON

SMILIN' JACK—ENTER MME. MONGOOSE

TROPICAL PARK FORM CHART

DECEMBER 26, 1939.
[By the Associated Press.]

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs. Purse $700. [Claiming prices, $1,250 to $1,000.] Three year olds which have not won since Nov. 11. Start good. Won easily, place driving. Went to post at 2:01. Off at 2:04. Winner, br. g., 3, by Zacaweista-Donna B., by Donnacona. Owner, J. B. Partridge. Trainer, J. B. Campbell. Net value to winner, $525; second, $100; third, $50; fourth, $25. Time, 1:13 1-5. Weather, clear; track, fast.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Eq odds
MAJOR B.	116	6	2	1hd	1½	1²	1¹	W.L.Johnson	70-1
PAUL LEE	116	12	4	3½	2½	2hd	2hd	J.McCoy	64.35-1
SALLY T.	113	8	5	10¹	6¹	3hd	3hd	R.Nash	14.25-1
OCEAN TIDE	108	2	10	7hd	6½	5½	4hd	J.Flinchum	5.60-1
TAUT	116	9	1	5hd	3½	3²	5½	E.Arcaro	4.25-1
MY ACE	108	5	9	2½	4½	4¹	6¹	M.Packer	29.05-1
MISS HILDUR	108	10	3	2¹	4²	7½	7¹	J.Harrell	260.40-1
WITCHSWALL	113	11	7	8hd	8½	8½	8¹½	A.Robertson	150.10-1
DRIFTING HOME	113	4	12	9	10	12	11¹	C.Swain	39.20-1
WEE BETSY	113	3	9	9½	10¹	10²	10³	P.Roberts	47.55-1
DEERPATH	105	1	6	6²	9½	9½	11²	D.Johnston	182.75-1
WHITE TOPPER	113	7	11	11½	11²	11	12	M.Berger	122.90-1

Two dollar mutuels paid: Major B. $3.40 straight, $2.50 place, $2.60 show; Paul Lee, $24.40 place, $12.00 show; Sally T., $8.50 show.

MAJOR B., much the best. He took lead early, drew away easily and won nicely in hand. PAUL LEE was hustled along, saved ground and held on gamely. SALLY T., away in a tangle, closed a big gap. OCEAN TIDE, under weak handling, finished with a good burst of speed. MY ACE ran a good race.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs. Purse $700. [Claiming price, $1,500.] Three year olds and up. Start good. Won easily, place driving. Went to post at 2:29½. Off at 2:33½. Winner, b. g., 4, by St. James-La Diva, by Fair Play. Owner, Mrs. G. Spaeth. Trainer, E. Stegewens. Net value to winner, $525; second, $100; third, $50; fourth, $25. Time, 1:12.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Eq odds
GOSHEN	116	10	1	1½	1²	1¹	1¹	A.Bodiou	15.20-1
PEON	114	2	4	3½	2½	2½	2¹	H.Krovitz	2.95-1
CERISE III	115	5	6	5²	5¹	4½	3²	J.Donoso	3.45-1
CHERACHIN	107½	8	6	9²	7²	6¹	4hd	C.Durando	13.35-1
SYMPHON	111	12	2	5½	4½	5½	5½	F.Winn	72.85-1
CALLING	109	11	3	7²	8²	3½	6hd	M.Packer	6.55-1
WEEPOR	113	1	3	2hd	3²	8²	7hd	R.Wholey	25.35-1
MANY FLAGS	114	4	11	8¹	6²	7½	8¹	A.Robertson	104 80-1
CHRONOLOGY	116	3	5	6½	8½	8½	9¹½	J.Anderson	6.10-1
LOW CUTS	116	6	9	4hd	9²	9²	10¹	F.Ryan	114.80-1
COL. SCOTT	109	7	9	11¹	10½	11¹	11²	J.Flinchum	22.15-1
HIGH FINANCE	116	9	10	12	12	12	12	T.May	7.35-1

Two dollar mutuels paid: Goshen, $32.40 straight, $13.60 place, $7.50 show; Peon, $4.00 place, $3.20 show; Cerise III., $2.80 show.

GOSHEN showing remarkable speed, assumed command at start, opened a long lead, drew away easily at end. PEON attempted to follow the pace but never menaced the winner. CERISE III. was in close quarters in early part, finished fast when clear. CHERACHIN closed very fast.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs. Purse $700. [Claiming prices, $1,500 to $1,200.] Two year old maidens. Start good. Won easily, place driving. Went to post at 2:59½. Off at 3:06¼. Winner, ch. g., 2, by Brilliant-Tinker Bell, by Peter Pan. Owner, J. Cummings. Trainer, D. R. McDaniel. Net value to winner, $525; second, $100; third, $50; fourth, $25. Time, 1:13.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Eq odds
KLEIG LIGHT	107	4	1	1¹	1²	1²	1²	J.Harrell	4.95-1
GAY HOUR	116	1	4	4²	4¹	3½	2hd	J.Rosen	2.00-1
ARCH HERO	116	10	2	3½	2²	2²	3¹	E.Arcaro	4.50-1
LUCKY ME	116	2	5	5²	5½	4¹	4hd	J.Anderson	3.95-1
ALCA	113	8	7	6½	6½	5½	5²	H.Dupuy	15.10-1
PEANUT LADY	109	3	3	2²	3¹	6²	6²	T.Atkinson	108.05-1
TONY WEAVER	107	6	8	7½	7²	7²	7²	J.Flinchum	42.95-1
DIMPLE	109	12	6	8½	8½	8½	8³	C.Stevenson	17.70-1
DOUBLE OVER	113	11	9	9²	9hd	9hd	9hd	A.Schmidl	105.20-1
ADAM'S NEEDLE	116	9	11	10²	10²	10²	10³	W.Garner	92.55-1
DECIDALY GALUS	112	7	10	11	11	11	11²	F.A.Smith	123.35-1
LAUREATE	111	5	12	12	12	12	12	K.McCombs	17.40-1

Two dollar mutuels paid: Kleig Light, $11.90 straight, $5.90 place, $3.60 show; Gay Hour, $3.80 place, $2.50 show; Arch Hour, $3.20 show.

KLEIG LIGHT, away fast, and showing remarkable speed, opened a wide gap, saved ground and held on well. GAY HOUR was outrun in early part, came thru on inside around turn and finished fast. ARCH HERO had plenty of speed and ran good race. LUCKY ME ran a splendid race for first outing. PEANUT LADY had early speed.

FOURTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards. Purse $700. [Claiming prices, $1,500 to $1,200.] Two year olds. Start good. Won driving, place same. Went to post at 3:30. Off at 3:31½. Winner, ch. g., 2, by Dunlin-On Top, by Ultimus. Owner, L. B. Mayer. Trainer, J. Judge. Net value to winner, $525; second, $100; third, $50; fourth, $25. Time, 1:44 3-5.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Eq odds
SUCCESS STORY	116	4	5	6²	6¹	3½	1hd	R.Donoso	4.20-1
KEN'S POP	111	7	7	5¹	2½	2hd	2hd	C.Durando	2.90-1
BURNING STICK	116	3	7	7	5¹	1hd	3³	E.Arcaro	3.05-1
SURE CURE	104	2	6	4²	3hd	4²	4¹⁰	J.Flinchum	2.45-1
KING NEPTUNE	110	12	5	2½	1hd	5²	5²	G.Seabo	7.65-1
DAY-GO-BYE	109	6	3	2½	4½	6¹⁰	6¹⁰	A.Balducci	30.95-1
JACQUELIN HIGH	103	1	2	3hd	7	7	7	M.Packer	60.65-1

Two dollar mutuels paid: Success Story, $10.40 straight, $4.90 place, $3.90 show; Ken's Pop, $4.50 place, $3.10 show; Burning Stick, $3.20 show.

SUCCESS STORY, showing startling improvement, moved up fast on the outside, closed gamely and won going away. KEN'S POP was ridden with very poor judgment. He moved up fast on outside but was eased back and then came again at end. BURNING STICK made his bid around turn and held on well. SURE CURE well up all the way. KING NEPTUNE had plenty of speed.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse $800. [Claiming price, $2,500.] Three year olds and up. Start good. Won easily, place driving. Went to post at 3:57½. Off at 3:59½. Winner, blk. g., 3, by Grandace-Rose Boot, by Boot to Boot. Owner, Bistol Stable. Trainer, O. Mackey. Net value to winner, $600; second, $125; third, $50; fourth, $25. Time, 1:12.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Eq odds
GRANDSTAR	113	8	3	1½	1²	1²	1¹	R.Wholey	5.10-1
FERDINAND	113	4	4	4½	2hd	2½	2²	G.Moore	11.25-1
PANTHER CREEK	115	1	6	3hd	4³	3½	3hd	E.Arcaro	13.25-1
GALLANT STROKE	112	3	1	6¹	5²	4¹	4³	M.Berger	3.05-1
DISCOBOLO	113	5	8	8²	7²	6½	5½	J.Flinchum	4.10-1
FENG	115	2	5	5hd	6³	6½	6hd	K.McCombs	6.65-1
GALLANT NEB	113	7	2	7½	8	8	7²	R.Nash	15.35-1
DOUBT NOT	113	6	7	2²	3hd	7²	8	L.Haas	5.10-1

Two dollar mutuels paid: Grandstar, $12.20 straight, $8.00 place, $5.90 show; Ferdinand, $10.10 place, $7.10 show; Panther Creek, $6.40 show.

GRANDSTAR broke very fast was sent right to the front, opened a wide lead, saved ground all the way and was easily best. FERDINAND was hard ridden all the way and made a game effort. PANTHER CREEK, on the inside for entire trip ran good race. GALLANT STROKE moved up fast after being outrun in early part. DISCOBOLO closed a big gap.

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse $800. The Matecumbe [second division.] Three year olds and up. Start good. Won driving, place same. Went to post at 4:25½. Off at 4:28¼. Winner, br. g., 5, by John P. Grier-Fairyland, by Some Kiss. Owner, Mrs. H. C. Rumage. Trainer, F. W. Hannon. Net value to winner, $600; second, $125; third, $50; fourth, $25. Time, 1:12 1-5.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Eq odds
IDLE ELF	113	5	3	3½	3½	2hd	1¹	M.Berger	9.50-1
STONES LANDING	118	9	1	1¹	1¹	1²	2¹½	B.Fels	4.20-1
JOHN ALLEN	110	3	2	2½	2²	3²	3²	J.Flinchum	6.30-1
NEON LIGHT	108	6	7	7²	7²	4¹	4hd	J.Mastrianni	46.50-1
LITTLE RHODY	108	5	9	8²	6²	6²	5hd	M.Packer	13.10-1
AUTOGRAPH	112	8	6	4hd	5½	5½	6¹²	R.Nash	15.70-1
CAUTIVO	116	7	8	6hd	9²	7²	7²	J.Rosen	8.60-1
BILLIONAIRE	115	1	3	6½	8²	8²	8²	E.Arcaro	1.35-1
ON QUEST	113	4	8	9	9	9	9	L.Haas	62.75-1

Two dollar mutuels paid: Idle Elf, $21.00 straight, $7.40 place, $4.00 show; Stones Landing, $5.10 place, $3.60 show; John Allen, $4.00 show.

IDLE ELF going in improved form, moved up gamely on outside around turn, closed fast, took lead in last sixteenth and outgamed STONES LANDING. The latter opened a wide gap early but tired suddenly. JOHN ALLEN finished gamely. NEON LIGHT came from far back. LITTLE RHODY ran good race. BILLIONAIRE lacked speed. He pulled up lame in recent work.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards. Purse $700. [Claiming prices, $1,250 to $1,000.] Three year olds and up, which have not won since Oct. 1. Start good. Won driving, place same. Went to post at 4:55½. Off at 4:57½. Winner, b. c., 4, by Sweep All-Love Tap, by Bruleur. Owner, Cosgrave Stable. Trainer, A. F. Alexander. Time, 1:46 3-5. Net value to winner, $525; second, $100; third, $50; fourth, $25.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Eq odds
FLUSHING	116	3	6	6¹	5hd	3½	1ns	E.Arcaro	1.60-1
MANEUVER	108	8	7	7½	6²	2hd	2³	J.Flinchum	3.20-1
SKIPPED	113	12	3	2²	1½	1hd	3³	R.Robart	4.50-1
WAYALOFT	113	11	4	5²	4²	7½	4¹	T.Atkinson	254.20-1
COURTNEY'S PET	113	6	5	3hd	2½	4²	5²	P.Roberts	7.75-1
ESCOMUR	110	6	8	9²	9½	6¹	6½	S.Young	38.55-1
ATTAINMENT	105	10	9	8½	8²	8½	7¹	D.Johnston	30.15-1
GRAND LIGHT	113	5	2	4hd	3²	5²	8¹	R.Bateman	12.65-1
CARNIVAL TIME	100	9	10	10²	10²	10²	9¹	H.Krovitz	369.45-1
KENNER	113	2	1	1hd	3½	9¹	10²³	S.Vail	22.90-1
ENGLEMAID	107	4	11	11²³	11²³	11²³	11²	C.Stevenson	282.90-1
BILL JIMMY	113	1	12	12	12	12	12	G.Seabo	181.95-1

Two dollar mutuels paid: Flushing, $5.20 straight, $3.30 place, $2.50 show; Maneuver, $3.90 place, $2.90 show; Skipped, $3.10 show.

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards. Purse $700. [Claiming prices, $1,250 to $1,000.] Three year olds and up, which have not won since Oct. 1. Start good. Won driving, place same. Went to post at 5:22½. Off at 5:27. Winner, blk. m., 7, by Ormond-Clarice R., by Tea Caddy. Owner-Trainer, E. Barnett. Net value to winner, $525; second, $100; third, $50; fourth, $25. Time, 1:46 4-5.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Eq odds
EVA R.	113	3	3	1½	1½	1hd	1¹	T.Atkinson	4.20-1
PASCUA	104	4	7	5hd	5hd	2½	2²	M.Packer	7.95-1
BEAVER COUNTY	113	5	9	10¹	8½	3hd	3¹	A.Robertson	46.65-1
BIRD'S EYE	108	2	8	4²	4hd	5¹	4hd	J.Flinchum	43.35-1
FLYING ORPHAN	110	12	5	2½	3²	4hd	5hd	J.Malzan	50.50-1
CAMPO FALSO	115	6	11	9hd	6²	6²	6hd	R.Donoso	10.10-1
JULIUS CAESAR	111	7	12	11¹²	10hd	7¹	7²	R.W.Smith	2.25-1
BOLD PIRATE	114½	8	4	3½	3½	6½	8¹	W.Hanks	14.95-1
RED CHIEF	116	11	8	7½	6½	11¹²	9¹½	J.Rosen	8.05-1
WOODWAAC	108	9	10	12	11²	10²	10²	C.Stevenson	7.05-1
TUGBOAT FRANK	113	10	10	10	12	12	11¹⁶	M.Quintero	55.55-1

Two dollar mutuels paid: Eva R., $17.90 straight, $8.80 place, $6.40 show; Pascua, $37.30 place, $17.80 show; Beaver County, $7.40 show.

TROPICAL PARK ODDS & JOCKEYS

FIRST RACE—Claiming, 3 year olds and over, 6 furlongs:

Horse.	P.P.	Wt.	Jockey.	Odds.
Lina's Son	9	111	F. Winn	3-1
Major-Minor	12	109	C. Wells	5-1
Orient Express	3	116	K. McCombs	3-1
Cruising	13	116	A. Snider	6-1
R. Pinchot	14	116	T. May	8-1
Maebeau	1	111	M. Packer	10-1
Sun Kincsen	10	113	M. Berger	6-1
Velvet Mask	2	116	J. Ashcroft	10-1
Time Interval	6	110	G. Moore	15-1
Lignum Vitae	11	108	J. Flinchum	15-1
Never Cease	17	110	F. A. Smith	15-1
Fly Me	7	113	E. LeBlanc	20-1
Ethels Choice	4	105	H. Allgair	20-1
Petline	16	113	R. Nash	20-1
Balcony	18	110	H. Dupuy	20-1
Pretty Busy	5	105	No boy	30-1
Stavka	8	113	E. Robart	30-1
Lady Sara	15	105	No boy	30-1

SECOND RACE—Claiming, 2 year olds, 6 furlongs:

Pari-Ernest	4	114	T. Atkinson 8-1
Car Rou	14	113	P. Roberts 6-1
Ambuscade	10	108	E. Steffen 4-1
Free Bid	12	103	M. Packer 4-1
Wildmute	8	113	E. Arcaro 6-1
Toy Foot	6	103	J. Renick 6-1
Corsica	5	108	No boy 8-1
Haste On	3	111	L. Haas 16-1
Nutty	11	113	A. Roberts'n 12-1
Tetratown	9	103	J. Flinchum 20-1
Miss B. B	7	103	C. Stevenson 20-1
Totache	1	111	L. Dupps 15-1
Sir Trapseth	2	106	A. Bodiou 30-1
Arched	13	103	No boy 20-1

THIRD RACE—Claiming, 2 year olds, 6 furlongs:

Friar's Scout	8	108	R. Nash 8-1
Mumble	7	106	F. Winn 4-1
Tonganoxie	4	106	F. Ryan 4-1
Liberty Aire	11	111	J. Quintero 6-1
Deep Summer	3	111	A. Robertson 8-1
Baltee	1	116	P. Roberts 8-1
Anti Air	13	103	J. Flinchum 8-1
Raphael	5	116	E. Arcaro 10-1
Smilin Jack	12	114	J. Compton 10-1
Columbia's Boy	10	114	J. Rosen 10-1
Spirited	11	108	S. Renick 15-1
Janjab	5	116	J. M'strianni 15-1
Jacinto	6	103	R. Nash 15-1
High Arch	2	108	L. Hardy 20-1
Stand Alone	15	106	L. Haas 20-1

FOURTH RACE—Claiming, 3 year olds and over, 6 furlongs:

Down Under	7	116	W. Yarberry 10-1
Big Steel	2	109	M. Packer 4-1
Witheraway	12	113	A. Schmidl 6-1
Soigne	1	113	R. Donoso 4-1
Cyrus F	6	114	J. Rosen 8-1
Bright and Early	9	116	E. Arcaro 8-1
Jock's Betsy	8	111	A. Bodiou 8-1
Ugin	3	111	C. Durando 6-1
Miss Monoa	11	113	R. Nash 15-1
Wage Earner	10	109	C. Wells 20-1
Beau Insco	4	114	K. McC'mbs 12-1
Fumble	5	111	J. Flinchum 20-1

FIFTH RACE—Claiming, 3 year olds and over, 1 mile and 70 yards:

Mucho Gusto	5	113	K. McCombs 8-5
Bob's Boys	5	115	E. Arcaro 2-1
Bucking	4	115	W. Yarberry 4-1
Memory Book	2	110	M. Berger 5-1
Rodin	1	111	L. Anderson 8-1

SIXTH RACE—Claiming, 3 year olds and over, 1 1-16 miles:

Sun Mica	1	116	J. Rosen 5-1
Rugged Red	12	112	A. Schmidl 3-1
Dedjet	11	111	C. Wells 4-1
Gaona	3	112	A. Robertson 6-1
Life Guard	9	111	J. Flinchum 10-1
Broad Stripes	5	112	E. Arcaro 8-1
Gen L	6	112	R. Donoso 15-1
Red Tree	14	116	M. Berger 10-1
Dark May	2	108	R. Bateman 15-1
Our Bud	4	116	M. Berger 20-1
Quicker	7	116	No boy 20-1
Black Gift	10	116	W. Garner 20-1

SEVENTH RACE—Claiming, 3 year olds and over, 1 3-16 miles:

Room Service	2	113	A. Schmidl 4-1
Alpenglow	8	113	A. Robertson 2-1
Great Blaze	6	116	J. Stout 4-1
Sure Swift	4	111	M. Packer 6-1
Some Boy	1	116	J. Ashcroft 8-1
Peaceful	7	110	T. Atkinson 10-1
Sam Alexander	1	108	J. Flinchum 15-1
Peedeeque	3	113	A. Snider 20-1
Erin's Sun	10	113	G. Moore 20-1
Trooperette	9	108	C. Wells 20-1

EIGHTH RACE—Claiming, 3 year olds and over, 1 3-16 miles:

Wise Will	8	116	A. Bodiou 3-1
High End	6	116	J. Rosen 8-1
Prince Pharoah	5	116	M. Quintero 5-2
Myponne	3	115	E. Arcaro 5-2
Banner Girl	4	101	M. Packer 10-1
Joy Flag	7	113	R. Wholly 15-1
Miss Firefly	11	108	C. Durando 12-1
Distribute	2	116	G. Seabo 20-1
Totin' Home	9	106	No boy 20-1

FAIR GROUNDS RESULTS.

FIRST RACE—Purse $700, claiming, 2 year olds, 6 furlongs:

Millshow, 113 [W.Taylor]	20.80	10.60	4.60
Town Silver, 109 [Perkins]		17.20	10.40
Hadatel, 112 [Scurlock]			4.40

Time, 1:15 1-5. Batone, Donnagina, Pirata, Harvest Moon, and Winter Sea ran.

SECOND RACE—Purse $600, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 6 furlongs:

Sun Antioch, 117 [Scurlock]	4.60	2.60	2.40
Set Pat, 107 [McDonald]		3.80	3.00
Dizile, 109 [Glaus]			3.80

Time, 1:15 2-5. Be Discreet, *What Now, *Jack Patches, Brides Delight, Rich Cream, Gailey Sweep, Golden Silence, and Golden Throne ran. *Field.

THIRD RACE—Purse $600, claiming, maiden 3 year olds and up, 6 furlongs:

My Buddy, 110 [W.Taylor]	4.80	3.00	2.40
Maleo Bird, 107 [Badali]		16.40	7.60
*Mart, 115 [Keiper]			5.00

Time, 1:17. Dengee, Clean Cut, Phil Wright, *Fleet Pat, Oenrod, *Indiana Spa, Honey Bee, The Spiller, and Title Queen ran. *Field.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $700, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 6 furlongs:

White Cockade, 107 [McD'd]	6.80	4.00	3.20
Wacky Jack, 108 [Trahan]		7.60	4.80
Jay D. Bane, 102 [Stroud]			5.00

Time, 1:14 4-5. Lottery, Hasty Star, Chanting, Lingerawhile, Busse Trumpet, and Ball-O-Fire ran.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $600, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 1 1-16 miles:

Copper Lad, 111 [Trahan]	7.20	3.80	3.00
Aerialist, 111 [Taylor]		3.80	3.00
Ebony Parasol, 101 [Mill's]			3.60

Time, 1:50 1-5. Broadway Juel, Paraida, Celestino, Frank Ormont, and My Gracious ran.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $700, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 1 mile and 70 yards:

Knoxville, 104 [McDonald]	22.80	11.20	6.20
Flying Jack, 103 [Friedl'n]		13.40	7.00
Waugh Pop, 102 [Taylor]			3.80

Time, 1:46. Stable, Rough Diamond and Ozark ran.

SEVENTH RACE—Purse $600, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 1 mile 70 yards:

Mokena, 112 [Grill]	9.00	3.80	3.00
Gunwale, 110 [G. Oros]		5.80	4.20
Stand, Time, 107 [Taylor]			3.60

Time, 1:48. Labor Day, *Beautiful Bud, Grand Cross Ruff, U Demon, *San Ardo, *Jaysee, French Jack, and Books Pride ran. *Field.

TODAY'S SELECTIONS

TROPICAL PARK, MIAMI, FLA.
[Fast.]

1—Lina's Son, Velvet Mask, Maj. Minor.
2—Ambuscade, Corsica, Haste On.
3—Raphael, Mumble, Columbia's Boy.
4—Big Steel, Ugin, Soigne.
5—Memory Book Mucho Gusto, Bob's Boy.
6—Deduce, Gen. L., Rugged Red.
7—ALPENGLOW, Room Service, Great Blaze.
8—Prince Pharoah, Wise Will, Myponne.

FAIR GROUNDS, NEW ORLEANS, LA.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]
[Fast.]

1—Hypo, Barbara S., Dedication.
2—LADY ARLINGTON, Lady Jean, Tonkawa.
3—Ouray, Royal Countess, Crulia.
4—Good Memory, Hit and Run, Nemont.
5—Molasses Bill, Mon Doit, Fanfun.
6—King Cotton, Farrell, Monon Lad.
7—Corum, Mister Jacko, Sun to Sun.

Daily Doubles

TROPICAL PARK.
Major B., and Goshen $145.60

FAIR GROUNDS.
Sun Antioch and My Buddy $13.60

FAIR GROUNDS ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Purse $600, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 6 furlongs:

*Grey Dog	105	*Crestonian	105
*Dogrose	105	*Barbara S	111
Prum	119	Alroso	113
Dedication	105	*Rossman	105
*Brilliant Stone	111	*Hypo	111
*Frozen Mask	108		

SECOND RACE—Purse $600, claiming, 2 year olds, 1 mile and 70 yards:

o State Five l Open Cotton nival Tonight

Orleans, La., Dec. 26 (AP).—ll champions from two con- came to town in blustery today to open the Sugar bowl rnival tomorrow night with eague test before 6,000 cus- the municipal stadium. nd cold moved in as a threat ance at lesser outdoor events rowded calendar but a blis- dn't mean anything to the for next Monday's climax, all game between Texas Ag- Tulane. The 70,000 available e been sold for weeks. Harold Olsen of Ohio State's championship team led 12 to town this morning. After t at the New Orleans Ath- the boys went out to see of this historic city, where State basketball club ever d.

Durocher ailed 1939 1 Manager

s, Mo., Dec. 26 (AP).—The 20 fy Brooklyn Dodgers, by fin- rd in the National league n, won accolades of No. 1 e year in major league base- for Larry MacPhail, presi- he club, and Manager Leo

orting News, picking Mac- the outstanding executive her as the leading manager, e palm for No. 1 player of —a selection without ques- Joe DiMaggio of the New kees.

"little all-America" the News placed Bruce Dudley, director of Louisville of the association; Bill Meyer, of Kansas City of the asso- d Outfielder Louis Novikoff, d with both Tulsa of the rue and Los Angeles in the ast league.

le mention among major cutives was given to War- general manager of the Reds; Ed Barrow, president kees, and Eddie Collins, busi- ger of the Boston Red Sox. r was selected as No. 1 man- e year over Joe McCarthy ld champion Yankees, Bill of the National league Reds, Ray Blades of the St. inals, Jimmy Dykes of the hite Sox, and Joe Cronin Sox.

behind DiMaggio among the ere his teammates, Bill Charley Ruffing; Frankie r, Bucky Walters, and Paul of the Reds; Johnny Mize Shoun of the Cardinals, Ken d Bob Feller of the Cleve- ns, Bob Grove of the Red e McQuinn of the St. Louis lly Herman of the Chicago Emil Leonard of the Wash- ators.

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71. Fancy
72. Dance
73. Excited
74. Marquee
75. Vapor
76. Reckon
77. Habitual drunkards

62. Interrogative pronoun
63. Voiceless
65. Long story
68. Turkish commander
70. Witty remark

YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE SOLVED

MOUNT CARMEL LEAVES TODAY ON FLORIDA TRIP

Warm Weather and Rules Worry Coach.

BY JAMES SEGRETI.

Mount Carmel High school, Catholic league football champion and co-holder of the city title, will leave tonight for West Palm Beach, Fla., where it will meet an all-star prep eleven Saturday night. Twenty-two players, Coaches Wally Fromhart and Fred Mundee, and school officials will make the trip to southern Florida.

Two other players will join the squad in West Palm Beach Friday and Coach Fromhart probably would rather see them than the waving palms and orange trees, for they are Johnny Andretich and Frankie Meakim, the touchdown twins. Andretich, captain and left half back, and Meakim, right half back, were members of the Chicago all-star team which played in Los Angeles, Cal., last Monday.

Frets Over Rules.

Fromhart still fretted over the game rules and Florida weather conditions as the squad made final preparations for the trip yesterday afternoon. The game will be played under the football code of the National High School federation, which will be new and baffling to Mount Carmel's team. The Chicago boys expect to see hocus pocus pass plays from any point behind the line of scrimmage.

Take Twenty-two Players.

The 22 players who were named for the trip follow:

ENDS—Norman Brezezinski, Norman Hall, Emme Dwyer, Vincent Urba.

TACKLES—Robert Pillon, Richard Bolger, Sigmund Czarobski, Andrew McGann, John Mckenzo.

GUARDS—Robert Duffy, Bob Batchelor, James Miller, Richard Kennedy, Edmund Murphy.

CENTERS—Edward Blair, Clyde Brezezinski.

QUARTER BACKS—Thomas Creevy, Robert Creevy.

HALF BACKS—John Andretich, Frank Meakim, William Kelly, James Fitzgibbons.

FULL BACKS—Robert David, Robert Quinn, Joe Franchetti.

In addition to the coaches and players the Rev. Theodore J. Hatton, Mount Carmel principal; the Rev. Peachal Baier, athletic director; the Rev. Owen Cote, Brother John Coughlin, and Dr. Howard McNally, team physician, will leave for Florida on the Illinois Central's Seminole tonight.

Starters Are Named.

The players Coach Fromhart named to start against the southern all-star squad include Norman Brezezinski and Dwyer, ends; Czarobski and McNamee, tackles; Kennedy and Murphy, guards; Blair, center; Tom Creevy, quarter back; Andretich and Meakim, half backs, and David, full back. They composed the starting and finishing eleven which held Fenger to a 13 to 13 tie on Dec. 2 in the ABCity game.

Zivic, Aron Box Tonight in Coliseum

Fritzie Zivic, Pittsburgh boxer, will risk his rating as No. 1 welterweight contender in a 10 round bout against Milt Aron in the Coliseum, 15th street and Wabash avenue, tonight. The agreed weight is 150 pounds, three more than the division limit.

Fritzie Zivic.

Milt Aron.

Zivic expects to carry 146 pounds, which would be four more than Aron. The Chicago fighter appears to be best at 150, enhancing the possibility that Zivic may lose his fourth decision in 18 bouts this year, as well as his high rating.

Aron has a record of eight victories in nine starts in 1939. His only defeat was suffered at the hands of Sammy Angott in the same arena on May 3. Milt weighed only 145½ for Angott, which may have been partly responsible for the outcome.

Aron Can Punch.

Before this embarrassment Aron came in at 148 against Johnny Barbara in a match advertised as "for the welterweight championship of Illinois." Aron won on a knockout in the ninth round.

Aron is not as skillful as his rival, but his other assets make up for this shortcoming. He has an abundance of stamina and aggressiveness and carries a wallop in either hand.

In addition to superior boxing, however, Zivic has a reputation of being one of the hardest hitters in the division. He stopped his last three opponents, Wicky Harkins in Philadelphia, Dec. 6; Billy Lancaster in Brooklyn, Nov. 18, and Peter De Ruzza in Pittsburgh, Sept. 5.

Lello Faces Lander.

Because both boys have a punch it is predicted the match will not go the limit. The majority believe Zivic carries the heavier guns.

Pete Lello, No. 3 lightweight challenger, and Eddie Lander of the west side, will meet in a 10 round secondary feature. Lello will be seeking his ninth consecutive triumph and his fourth knockout in a row. If Lander is knocked out it will be his first defeat in this manner in 25 professional engagements.

Lander has been in a slump in recent starts. Before being held to a draw decision by Nick Castiglione in Chicago Stadium Dec. 8, Eddie lost two fights to Jimmy Perrin in New Orleans. However, he scored an impressive victory over Nick Camarata, southern lightweight champion, in Marigold Gardens July 24.

Allen Meets Oma.

Altus Allen, this year's international Golden Gloves heavyweight champion, and Lee Oma of Detroit, will meet in a third contest of 10 rounds. It is a rematch, Oma having won on a one round knockout previously.

Henry Wacker, Taylorville, Ill., heavyweight, who knocked out Leo [Red] Bruce recently, and Harry Sutton of the south side, will be opponents in a six round event. A four round emergency encounter involves Billy Seward, Ingomar, Mont., lightweight, and Bob Jarrell.

The show is being sponsored by Irving Schoenwald, promoter of weekly bouts in Marigold arena. Schoenwald also promoted the Aron-Angott fight in the Coliseum.

TORONTO HOCKEY STAR SHELVED BY FRACTURED BONE

TORONTO, Ont., Dec. 26 (AP).—Sylvanus Apps, star center of the Toronto Maple Leafs, has a fractured collarbone and will be out of National Hockey league action for a month, an X-ray examination revealed today.

Apps suffered the injury last night when the Leafs lost to the New York Rangers, but was not aware of its seriousness until he was awakened in his train berth on the return trip this morning and could not lift his right arm.

Apps, with 18 points, was tied for second place in the league's individual scoring race, according to official figures compiled today. He shared the position with Hector [Toe] Blake of the Montreal Canadiens.

Gordon Drillon of Toronto, leading by two points the previous week, increased his first place margin to three with a total of 21. Milt Schmidt of Boston moved from 19th to fourth place with 17.

Lane Quintet's Victory Sets Tourney Pace

[Continued from first sport page.]

played on New Year's day. Yesterday's scores:

HARPER [22].	B	F	P	FOREMAN [36].	B	F	P
Ferguson,f	2	1	1	Stone,f	2	1	1
Wilson,f	2	0	4	Naskrent,f	0	0	0
Bruce,f	6	0	0	Buczak,f	5	2	0
Farell,c	3	0	1	Zielinski, f	0	0	1
Cosgrove,g	2	0	0	Koche,c	2	0	1
McLane,g	0	0	0	Powell,g	3	0	1
Kelly,g	0	0	1	Finn,g	0	1	0
Riley,f	0	2	0	Babjo,g	0	0	2
Barlow,c	0	0	0	Benning,g	1	0	1
Thomas,g	0	1	2	Hoscyk,g	3	0	1
HARRISON [26].	B	F	P	LANE [28].	B	F	P
Wilson,f	5	0	0	Trintow,f	4	3	0
Black,f	1	0	0	Helwig,f	3	1	3
Bird,f	1	0	1	Damm,c	2	0	3
Jones,f	0	0	0	Schroeder,g	1	0	2
Kelly,c	0	0	0	Plunc,g	0	0	1
Johnson,g	3	2	2	Kotzlam,c	2	0	2
Schmidt,g	2	0	1				
Kasperchek,g	2	0	3				
KELVYN PK.	[14].			AMUNDSEN	[33].		
	B	F	P		B	F	P
Ford,f	0	0	1	McCarter,f	2	1	1
Kelly,f	0	0	1	Albertson,f	0	0	1
Lynch,f	0	0	2	Olson,f	1	0	2
Brown,f	1	1	1	Dreis,f	1	0	2
Griffith,f	2	0	2	Lally,f	1	0	1
Wilson,c	1	2	1	Ludwig,c	4	5	1
Schmidt,c	0	0	1	Canatsy,c	0	0	0
Wellman,g	1	2	1	Pasti,g	1	1	3
Schmidt,g	0	0	0	Fentiman,g	0	0	1
Wendt,g	0	0	0	Harm,g	0	1	0
Bergstrom,g	0	0	0	Carroll,g	0	0	0
				Martens,g	0	0	0
ENGLEWOOD [16].	B	F	P	FARRAGUT [37].	B	F	P
Gould,f	3	0	3	Trieglaff,f	3	0	4
Wentworth,f	3	1	3	Marek,f	1	1	0
Kostel,f	0	0	2	Kostel,f	1	0	2
Lowry,f	0	0	1	Yukonovic,f	0	2	0
Hall,c	0	0	1	Koseiuh,f	0	0	1
Hall,g	0	0	0	Vankat,f	0	0	1
Hall,g	0	0	3	Pasternak,c	6	3	1
Hall,g	2	1	3	Mann,c	0	0	0
Hall,g	2	0	4	Zoubek,c	3	1	0
				Bachofner,g	3	1	1
				Vojik,g	3	1	1
				Korus,g	0	1	0
				Vacek,g	0	0	0
				McDowell,g	1	1	1
GAGE PARK [24].	B	F	P	VON STEUBEN [37].	B	F	P
Kuehl,f	0	0	1	Bobich,f	1	1	2
Kuehl,f	0	0	2	Murphy,f	6	2	1
Kuehl,f	0	0	2	Greenberg,f	3	0	1
Kuehl,f	0	0	2	Grossman,f	0	1	1
Kuehl,f	0	0	2	Alder,f	0	0	0
Kuehl,f	0	0	1	Samuels,f	0	0	0
Kuehl,f	1	3	1	Weitzman,f	0	0	1
Kuehl,f	4	0	1	Lally,c	0	0	0
Kuehl,f	0	0	1	Dermer,g	0	0	1
Kuehl,f	2	0	0	Lasser,c	1	0	1
Kuehl,f	1	2	2	Kannett,g	2	1	3
Kuehl,f	0	0	0	Ashburg,g	0	1	0
Kuehl,f	0	0	1	Magida,g	0	0	1
				Peterson,g	2	2	1
				Levin,g	0	0	1
				Kanefield,g	0	0	0
HYDE PARK [44].	B	F	P	WASHBURNE [22].	B	F	P
Kuehl,f	4	2	2	Shayatovich,f	0	0	2
Kuehl,f	1	0	0	Lew'dowski,f	1	0	2
Kuehl,f	0	3	2	Ciaroni,f	6	1	1
Kuehl,f	1	0	2	Victor,f	0	2	0
Kuehl,f	2	0	2	Hertel,c	0	0	0
Kuehl,f	2	0	0	Gaston,c	0	0	0
Kuehl,f	0	0	0	Stanek,g	0	2	1
Kuehl,f	1	0	3	Berioncini,g	1	0	3
Kuehl,f	1	0	3	Sygnator,g	0	0	1
Kuehl,f	0	0	0	Krainik,g	0	0	1
SULLIVAN [23].	B	F	P	PARKER [20].	B	F	P
Kuehl,f	2	0	4	Steelman,f	2	0	4
Kuehl,f	2	1	4	Randolph,f	0	1	0
Kuehl,f	3	2	1	Schultz,f	0	0	0
Kuehl,f	0	0	0	Guthneck,f	0	0	3
Kuehl,f	1	2	2	Torgenson,c	3	2	2
Kuehl,f	0	0	0	Hardin,g	2	1	2
Kuehl,f	0	0	1	Lilien,g	0	2	0
				Marsh,g	0	0	0
WELLS [27].	B	F	P	DU SABLE [21].	B	F	P
Kuehl,f	4	0	0	Bailey,f	3	0	2
Kuehl,f	4	0	0	Clifton,f	2	0	0
Kuehl,f	1	0	1	Wilson,f	1	0	0
Kuehl,f	0	0	1	James,f	0	0	0
Kuehl,f	3	0	0	Taylor,c	0	0	0
Kuehl,f	3	0	0	Hardison,c	1	0	3
Kuehl,f	0	0	0	Wright,g	1	3	3
Kuehl,f	0	0	0	Green,g	1	2	3

EXERCISE BOY KILLED.

Bedford, Mo., Dec. 26 (AP).—Horace Clarke, 21 years old exercise boy at Samuel D. Judd's Glen Riddle farms racing stable near here, died today of injuries suffered when he was kicked by a Man 'o War colt.

MOON MULLINS—GRAB BAG

DICK TRACY—Don't Go Away Mad

National League Batting

CLUB STANDINGS.

	Cinn.	St. L.	Bkln.	Chgo.	N.Y.	Phila.	Bos.	Phil.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Cincinnati	..	11	12	12	11	16	16	19	97	57	.630
St. Louis	11	..	13	12	12	14	13	17	92	61	.601
Brooklyn	10	9	..	11	12	13	12	17	84	69	.549
Chicago	10	10	11	..	11	14	16	12	84	70	.545
New York	11	9	10	11	..	11	11	14	77	74	.510
Pittsburgh	6	8	9	8	11	..	12	14	68	85	.444
Boston	5	9	10	6	10	9	..	13	63	88	.417
Philadelphia	3	5	4	10	7	8	8	..	45	106	.298

Ties—Philadelphia-Brooklyn, Brooklyn-Chicago [2], Boston-Brooklyn, Cincinnati-St. Louis [2].

CLUB BATTING.

	G.	AB.	R.	Runs.	H.	TB.	2B.	3B.	HR.	SH.	SB.	Pct.
							Opp.					
St. Louis	..155	5447	779	633	1601	2351	332	62	98	167	44	.294
Cincinnati	..156	5378	767	593	1493	2179	269	60	98	193	40	.278
Pittsburgh	..153	5269	666	721	1453	2023	261	60	63	156	44	.276
New York	..151	5129	703	685	1395	2030	211	38	116	108	26	.272
Chicago	...156	5293	724	678	1407	2067	263	62	91	140	61	.266
Brooklyn	...157	5550	708	643	1429	2033	265	57	78	107	59	.265
Boston	152	5286	572	659	1395	1840	199	39	56	122	41	.254
Philadel'a	..152	5133	553	856	1341	1800	232	40	49	146	47	.261
	42285	5472	5472	11505	16320	2032	418	649	1139	368	.272	

INDIVIDUAL BATTING.

[Seventy-five Games or More.]

Name and club—	Bats.	G.	AB.	R.	H.	TB.	2B.	3B.	HR.	SH.	SB.	Pct.
Padgett, St. Louis	L	92	233	38	93	129	15	3	5	5	1	.399
Mize, St. Louis	L	153	564	104	197	353	44	14	28	10	..	.349
McCormick, Cincinnati	R	156	630	99	209	312	41	4	18	16	1	.3317
Medwick, St. Louis	R	150	606	98	201	307	48	8	14	14	6	.3316
Warner, Pittsburgh	L	125	461	62	151	202	30	6	3	10	..	.328
Arnovich, Philadelphia	R	134	491	68	159	203	25	2	5	5	7	.324
Goodman, Cincinnati	L	124	470	85	152	242	37	16	7	22	2	.323
Botura, New York	R	123	455	75	146	217	26	6	11	12	1	.321
Slaughter, St. Louis	L	149	604	95	193	281	52	9	12	31	2	.320
Danning, New York	R	135	520	79	163	249	28	5	16	6	4	.313
Leiber, Chicago	R	112	365	65	113	203	16	1	24	3	1	.310
Hassett, Boston	L	147	590	73	182	209	15	3	2	18	13	.309
Litt, New York	L	125	394	85	121	230	23	2	27	11	2	.308
Davis, Philadelphia	R	87	202	10	62	72	8	1	..	7	..	.3069
Herman, Chicago	R	156	623	111	191	282	34	18	7	19	9	.3065
Cuccinello, Boston	R	81	310	42	95	120	17	1	2	6	5	.3064
Martin, St. Louis	R	88	281	48	86	126	17	7	3	4	6	.3060
Vaughan, Pittsburgh	L	152	593	94	182	260	30	11	6	22	12	.3059
Galan, Chicago	Both	148	549	104	167	237	36	8	6	13	8	.3041
Demaree, New York	R	150	560	68	170	234	27	2	11	13	2	.3035
Suhr, 63 Pitts.-60 Philadelphia	L	123	402	44	122	164	22	4	4	8	5	.303
Lavagetto, Brooklyn	R	153	587	93	176	244	28	5	10	8	14	.300
Harms, Boston	L	133	513	59	153	201	24	9	2	12	2	.2982
Hack, Chicago	L	156	641	112	191	255	28	6	8	15	17	.2979
Brown, J., St. Louis	Both	147	645	88	192	248	31	8	3	14	4	.2976
Moore, St. Louis	R	130	417	65	123	203	25	2	17	18	6	.295
Frey, Cincinnati	L	125	484	93	141	219	27	9	11	25	5	.2914
Camilli, Brooklyn	L	157	565	105	164	296	30	12	26	5	1	.2902
Fletcher, 35 Boston-102 Pitts.	L	137	476	63	138	207	25	4	12	9	4	.2899
Werber, Cincinnati	R	147	599	115	173	233	35	5	5	11	15	.2888
Handley, Philadelphia	R	91	270	49	78	125	21	4	6	4	1	.2888
May, Philadelphia	R	155	604	49	133	172	27	3	2	25	4	.2856
Lombardi, Cincinnati	R	130	450	43	129	219	26	2	20	6	..	.2866
Bell, Pittsburgh	R	83	262	44	75	102	5	8	2	5	2	.286
Jurges, New York	R	138	543	84	155	216	21	11	6	15	3	.2854
West, Boston	L	130	449	67	128	223	26	6	19	8	1	.2850
Waner, L., Pittsburgh	L	112	379	49	108	139	15	3	..	11	..	.2849
Phelps, Brooklyn	L	98	323	33	92	135	21	2	6	8	..	.2848
Handley, Pittsburgh	R	101	376	43	107	134	14	5	1	13	17	.2845
Klein, 25 Phila.-85 Pitts.	L	110	317	45	90	154	18	5	12	8	2	.284
Martin, H., Philadelphia	Both	111	323	59	111	153	28	5	1	5	4	.282
Myers, Cincinnati	R	151	509	79	143	200	18	6	9	22	4	.281
Scott, Philadelphia	L	76	252	31	65	85	15	1	1	6	5	.280
Mueller, E., Philadelphia	Both	115	341	46	95	149	19	4	9	6	4	.279
Hartnett, Chicago	R	97	306	56	85	143	18	2	12	7	..	.2777
Kor, Brooklyn	R	153	525	77	145	229	37	5	8	6	11	.2770
Todd, Brooklyn	R	86	245	28	68	93	10	..	5	6	1	.2775
Durocher, Brooklyn	R	116	390	42	108	144	21	6	1	3	2	.2769
Coscarart, Brooklyn	R	115	419	59	116	154	22	2	4	7	10	.2768
Young, F., Pittsburgh	L	84	293	34	81	110	14	3	3	9	1	.2765
Ripple, 66 N. Y.-28 Brooklyn	L	94	229	28	63	86	12	4	1	5	..	.275
Cooney, Boston	R	118	368	39	101	117	8	1	2	11	2	.2744
Gutteridge, St. Louis	R	148	524	71	141	197	27	4	7	18	5	.2690
Moore, J., New York	L	138	562	80	151	208	23	2	10	4	5	.2686
Martin, S., St. Louis	L	120	425	60	114	163	26	7	3	11	4	.268
Miller, E., Boston	R	77	296	32	79	107	12	2	4	7	4	.267
Young, Philadelphia	Both	77	217	22	57	79	9	2	3	4	1	.263
Rizzo, Pittsburgh	R	94	330	49	86	133	23	3	6	9	..	.261
Owen, St. Louis	R	131	344	32	89	120	18	2	3	13	6	.259
Berger, Cincinnati	R	97	329	36	85	144	15	1	14	4	1	.258
Craft, Cincinnati	R	134	502	58	129	202	20	7	13	5	5	.257
Hudson, Brooklyn	R	109	343	46	87	116	17	3	2	4	5	.254
Lopez, Boston	R	131	412	32	104	144	23	1	8	11	1	.252
Reynolds, Chicago	R	88	281	33	69	103	10	6	4	11	5	.246
Warstler, Boston	R	114	342	34	83	100	11	3	..	4	2	.243
Whitehead, New York	R	95	335	31	80	98	6	3	2	6	1	.239
Scharein, Philadelphia	R	118	399	35	95	117	17	1	1	13	4	.2380
Bartell, Chicago	R	105	356	37	80	117	24	2	3	10	6	.2380
King, St. Louis	L	89	85	10	20	22	2	..	..	1	2	.235
Millies, Philadelphia	R	84	205	12	48	51	3	..	..	4	..	.234
Mueller, R. C., Pittsburgh	R	86	180	14	42	58	8	1	2	10	..	.233
Brubaker, Pittsburgh	R	100	345	41	80	126	23	1	7	3	3	.232
Mancuso, Chicago	R	80	251	17	58	74	10	..	2	6	..	.231
Berres, Pittsburgh	R	81	231	22	53	61	6	1	..	8	1	.2294
Marty, 23 Chgo.-91 Phila.	R	114	375	38	86	144	13	6	11	5	3	.2293
Moore, E., Brooklyn	L	107	306	45	69	103	13	6	3	4	4	.225
Gleeson, Chicago	Both	111	332	43	74	117	19	6	4	10	7	.223

[Thirty-five to Seventy-four Games.]

Davis, C., St. Louis	R	63	105	10	40	48	5	..	1	7	..	.381
Hershberger, Cincinnati	R	63	174	23	60	73	9	2	..	10	1	.345
Bowman, Pittsburgh	L	70	96	9	33	43	8	1	..	4	..	.344
Walters, Cincinnati	R	40	120	16	39	52	8	1	1	5	1	.325
Nicholson, Chicago	L	58	230	37	65	102	12	6	5	3	..	.295
Bolling, Philadelphia	L	69	211	27	61	81	11	..	3	..	6	.2890
Mattick, Chicago	R	51	178	16	51	65	12	1	..	4	1	.287
Walker, F., Brooklyn	L	61	225	27	63	83	6	4	2	7	1	.280
Parks, Brooklyn	L	71	239	27	65	85	13	2	1	5	2	.272
Stainbacs, Brooklyn	R	68	201	22	54	70	7	..	3	2	..	.269
Chiozza, New York	L	40	142	19	38	52	3	1	3	2	3	.268
Gamble, Cincinnati	L	72	221	24	59	70	7	2	..	6	5	.267
Seeds, New York	R	63	173	33	46	68	5	1	5	2	1	.266
Outlaw, Boston	L	65	133	15	35	37	2	..	..	1	1	.2631
McCarthy, New York	L	50	80	12	21	32	6	1	1	..	..	.2625
Bongiovanni, Cincinnati	L	66	159	17	41	47	6	..	..	3	..	.258
Masi, Boston	R	46	114	14	29	43	7	2	1	..	..	.254
Joost, Cincinnati	R	42	143	23	36	48	6	3	..	10	1	.252
Rosen, Brooklyn	L	54	183	22	46	63	6	4	1	2	4	.251
Kampouris, New York	R	74	201	23	50	81	12	2	5	6	..	.249
Tobin, Pittsburgh	R	43	74	9	18	29	3	1	2	1	..	.243
Hafey, New York	R	70	236	37	62	93	10	1	6	2	1	.243
Myers, L., St. Louis	R	74	117	24	28	36	6	1	..	4	1	.2393
Swift, Pittsburgh	R	36	42	6	10	10	..	..	..	2	..	.238
Lohrman, New York	R	38	60	4	14	22	2	..	2	..	..	.233
Cooper, St. Louis	R	47	69	4	16	25	3	..	2	6	..	.2318
Thompson, Cincinnati	R	42	48	3	11	12	1	..	..	3	..	.229
Hughes, Philadelphia	R	65	237	23	54	64	5	1	1	8	4	.228
Sisti, Boston	R	63	215	19	49	61	7	1	1	5	4	.226

BROWDER TALKS TODAY IN PARLEY AT WISCONSIN U.

Will Tell Student Union About Russia.

BY FRED GRAFF.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Madison, Wis., Dec. 26.—Marked by the appearance of Earl Browder, general secretary of the communist party of America, the sixth annual convention of the American Student union will open on the University of Wisconsin campus here tomorrow. It is expected that 400 college and high school students will attend.

Browder will be the principal speaker tomorrow night at a symposium on the status of the soviet union. Appearing with him will be Joel Seidman of New York, a member of the League for Industrial Democracy, and Victor A. Yakhontov, a former general in the imperial Russian army and assistant secretary of war during Alexander Kerensky's pre-soviet régime in Russia.

University Not Concerned.

Altho Browder has been barred in recent weeks from appearing at a number of eastern universities, officials of the University of Wisconsin declared tonight they had no interest in the convention proceedings.

Clarence A. Dykstra, university president, said permission was granted the Wisconsin chapter of the League for Liberal Action to meet in the union during the Christmas holidays, and that arrangements made later between the league and the student union was of no concern to the university.

To Answer Red Charges.

"The question as it applies here is not 'Shall Browder be permitted to speak to the students of the University of Wisconsin?'" Dykstra declared. "He is speaking to delegates of a convention from all over the country. The students of Wisconsin are out of the city on vacation, and only about 14 delegates from this school will attend."

Charges that the Student union is a breeding ground for communism, made before the Dies committee on un-American activities, will be answered during the course of the convention, said Agnes Reynolds of New York, college secretary for the group.

SECRET PAY ROLL OF JERSEY WPA STIRS OFFICIALS

Trenton, N. J., Dec. 26 (AP).—The state legislature's relief investigating committee advocated today that New Jersey abrogate its sponsorship of WPA sewing room projects if the WPA persists in keeping its pay rolls secret.

Lieut. Col. G. Barrett Glover, executive director of the committee, said New Jersey was spending $35,000 monthly as the sponsor's share of sewing projects designed to employ only persons from direct relief rolls.

"During a Paterson investigation," Glover said, "George Steele, a relief supervisor, reported that WPA had refused to admit the investigators to the sewing room and also request to permit them to interview the women engaged on that project during working hours.

"The WPA has presented a bill to the state asserting that 4,200 women were employed, whereas municipal welfare directors reported only about 1,800 so employed from their relief rolls. Yet the WPA refuses the state access to its pay rolls."

Judge Orders Anson Weeks Arrested in Speeding Case

A warrant for the arrest of Anson B. Weeks Jr., orchestra leader, was issued yesterday by Judge John Gutknecht when he failed to appear in traffic court after six continuances on a charge of speeding 58 miles an hour on the Outer drive on Oct. 31. Weeks was reported in Louisville yesterday for an engagement. A representative telephoned Judge Gutknecht asking that the case be disposed of thru forfeiting Weeks' $25 bond. Judge Gutknecht ordered Weeks brought in for failure to have an Indiana operator's card. Weeks lives at 126 Peashway, South Bend, Ind.

Two Men Burn to Death After Truck Hits Culvert

Decatur, Ill., Dec. 26 (AP).—Two men burned to death today when their automobile carrier truck struck a culvert and caught fire a mile and a half south of Blue Mound on route 48. Police said they identified the men tentatively as Douglas Seeman, and Willis Jacobs, both drivers for the Motor Car Transfer company of Coldwater, Mich.

OBITUARIES

Mrs. Bessie Gordon.

Mrs. Bessie Gordon, mother of three physicians, died yesterday at the age of 65 in her apartment at the Graemere hotel, 113 North Homan avenue. She was the widow of George Gordon, with whom she came to Chicago from Russia in 1914. She leaves a daughter, Dr. Sonia Gordon, and four sons, Dr. Richard J., Dr. Samuel G., Mitchell and Martin. Funeral services will be held at 10 a. m. today in the chapel at 3128 Roosevelt road.

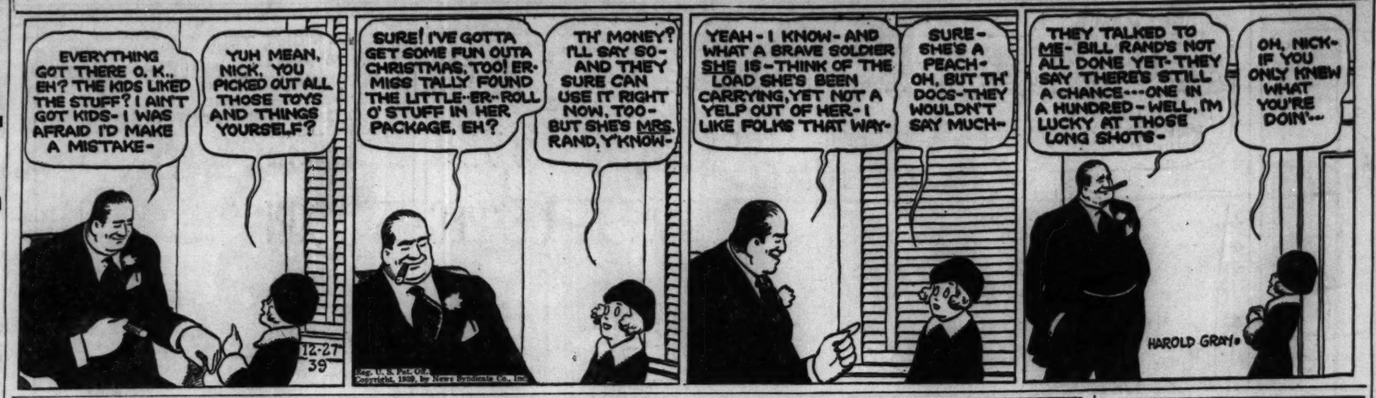
Edward H. Munson.

New York, Dec. 26 (AP).—Associates today announced the death of Edward H. Munson, 52 years old, head of the city division of the national committee of Y. M. C. A. in China. Munson died in Kunming, China, on Christmas eve after a heart attack.

The Rev. Jacob Henry Culler.

Springfield, O., Dec. 26 (AP).—The Rev. Jacob Henry Culler, 93 years old, prominent in affairs of the United Lutheran church in America and former president of the Wittenberg college board of trustees, died tonight.

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE: Big Man Who Wasn't There



TODAY'S RADIO BROADCASTS

[Central Standard Time.]

ON SHORT WAVES.

NEWS IN ENGLISH.
London—3:45 p. m.—11.75 meg., 25.5 m.; 15.31 meg., 19.6 m.; 9.58 meg., 31.3 m.
Berlin—5—9.61 meg., 31 m.; 11.77 meg., 25 m.
Rome — 5:15 — 9.67 meg., 31.02 m.
London—5:30 — 11.75 meg., 25.5 m.; 9.51 meg., 31.5 m.; 15.14 meg., 19.8 m.
Moscow—6—15.08 meg., 19.9 m.; 9.60 meg., 31.2 m.
London — 6:30 — 11.75 meg., 25.5 m.; 9.51 meg., 31.5 m.; 15.14 meg., 19.8 m.
Rome — 6:30 — 15.20 meg., 19.6 m.; 11.81 meg., 25.4 m.; 9.63 meg., 31.1 m.
Paris — 7:03 — 11.88 meg., 25.2 m.; 30.9 m.
Berlin—7:15—9.61 meg., 31 m.; 11.7 meg., 25 m.
Madrid — 7:25 — 9.86 meg., 30.4 m.
London—8:45 — 11.75 meg., 25.5 m.; 9.58 meg., 31.1 m.
Berlin—9:30—9.91 meg., 31 m.; 11.77 meg., 25 m.
London—10—11.75 meg., 25.5 m.; 9.58 meg., 31.3 m.
Paris — 10:30 — 11.88 meg., 25.2 m.; 30.9 m.
Paris — 11:15 — 11.88 meg., 25.2 m.; 30.9 m.

CHICAGO WAVE LENGTHS

W-G-N—720	WCBD—1080
WIND—560	WJJD—1130
WMAQ—670	WWAE—1200
WBBM—770	WCFL—1210
WAAF—820	WGES—1310
WLS—870	WEDC—1210
WENR—870	WHFC—1420
WCFL—970	WHIP—1480

[*Indicates MBS program.]

7:00 A. M.
W-G-N—Good Morning Prog.
WMAQ—Suburban hour.
WJJD—Sons of Pioneers.
WBBM—Europe Today.
7:15 A. M.
WLS—The Rangers.
WBBM—Piano Parade.
7:30 A. M.
W-G-N—Top o' Morning.
WJJD—Christian Science.
WBBM—Musical Clock.
WLS—Mac and Bob.
7:35 A. M.
W-G-N—Sniff, Wiff, Riff.
7:40 A. M.
W-G-N—Everyday Words.
7:45 A. M.
W-G-N—Good Morning Prog.
WLS—Jolly Joe.
8:00 A. M.
W-G-N—Your Morning News.
WMAQ—Your Neighbor.
WCFL—Breakfast Club.
WLS—The Singing Milkman
WJJD—Now's the Time.
8:15 A. M.
W-G-N—Listen to the Band.
WIND—Passing Show.
8:30 A. M.
W-G-N—Good Morning Prog.
WMAQ—Coffee Time.
WBBM—Manhattan Mother.
WLS—Westerners.
WIND—Women's Journal.
8:35 A. M.
W-G-N—Smile with Norman.
8:40 A. M.
W-G-N—Good Morning Prog.
8:45 A. M.
W-G-N—What's New in the Store Today.
WLS—Meet Miss Julia.
WMAQ—A Step Ahead.
WBBM—Teens and Tim.
9:00 A. M.
W-G-N—Morning Melodies.
WMAQ—The Man I Married
WBBM—Kitty Kelly.
WLS—Alice Blair.
WJJD—Bosworth broadcast.
WCFL—Double in Stars.
9:10 A. M.
WAAF—Canary Serenade.
9:15 A. M.
WMAQ—John's Other Wife.
WLS—Right to Happiness.
WBBM—Myrt and Marge.
WCFL—Escorts and Betty.
9:20 A. M.
W-G-N—Myrna Dee Sergent.
9:30 A. M.
W-G-N—Keep Fit to Music.
WCFL—Work Music.
WMAQ—Just Plain Bill.
WJJD—Women Voters.
WBBM—Hilltop House.
WLS—Mary Marlin.
WIND—Social Security Info.
WEDC—Italian program.
9:45 A. M.
W-G-N—June Baker, Home Management.
WMAQ—Woman in White.
WLS—Marriage Trouble.
WCFL—Novelettes.
WBBM—Stepmother.
WIND—Tommy Ott and Max Miller.
10 A. M.
WBBM—Lanny Ross.
WCFL—Variety program.
WMAQ—David Harum.
WLS—Pepper Young.
WIND—Parents' Forum.
WJJD—Weather bureau.
10:05 A. M.
W-G-N—Leo Salvo.
10:15 A. M.
W-G-N—Bachelor's Children.
WLS—Young Dr. Malone.
WBBM—Brenda Curtis.
WJJD—Dick Baker.
WMAQ—Road of Life.
10:30 A. M.
W-G-N—Don Pedro.
WBBM—Big Sister.
WCFL—Radio Warblers.
WMAQ—Against the Storm.
WAAF—Morning song.
WJJD—Novelettes.
WLS—Christine.
10:45 A. M.
W-G-N—Morning musical.
WMAQ—Guiding Light.
WBBM—Aunt Jenny's Stories.
WLS—Live stock markets.
WJJD—Missing Persons.
WAAF—Novelettes.
11:00 A .M.
*W-G-N—Cowboy Band.
WMAQ—The Carters.
WCFL—Peekers in Pantry.
WLS—Helen Joyce.
WBBM—Kate Smith.
WJJD—General Rhythm.
11:15 A. M.
W-G-N—Mary Sothern.
WBBM—When a Girl Marries.
WMAQ—The O'Neills.
WJJD—Tate, Movie Tattler.
WIND—Lest We Forget.
WHFC—Bing Crosby.
11:30 A. M.
W-G-N—Quin Ryan's News Commentary.
WMAQ—Farm and Home.
WJJD—Safety Court.
WBBM—Helen Trent.
WIND—Priscilla Holbrook.
11:45 A. M.
W-G-N—Painted Dreams.
WBBM—Our Gal Sunday.
WLS—Food Markets.
WAAF—Myrna Dee Sargent.
WIND—Waltz Time.
WCFL—Willie Winn.
NOON.
W-G-N—Radio's Voice.
WBBM—The Goldbergs.
WCFL—Mieczslaw Munz.
WAAF—Symphonic hour.
WLS—Dinnerbell program.
WHIP—Bible Quiz.
12:15 P. M.
W-G-N—Noontime Melodies.
WMAQ—Ellen Randolph.
WJJD—Luncheon Melodies.
WBBM—Beautiful Life.
WIND—Tommy Ott.
WHFC—Kay Kyser.
12:30 P. M.
W-G-N—Markets.
WHIP—Noon Tune.
WBBM—This Day Is Ours.
WLS—Checkerboard Time.
WMAQ—Heart Songs.
WJJD—Noonday Service.
12:35 P. M.
W-G-N—Midday service; the Rev. Fr. Raymond O'Connor, St. Catherine of Genoa Catholic church, Chicago.
12:45 P. M.
WBBM—Road of Life.
WLS—Live Stock Markets.
WCFL—Jack Duggan.
WHIP—Kenneth Wells.
12:50 P. M.
WMAQ—Dogey Dan.
1:00 P. M.
*W-G-N—The Gumps.
WMAQ—Betty and Bob.
WIND—Italian hour.
WBBM—Doc Barclay.
WJJD—Live Stock Market.
WCFL—Don Norman.
WLS—WLS orchestra.
WAAF—Hoosier Philosopher.
1:15 P. M.
W-G-N—Ginsburgh's orch.
WBBM—Dr. Susan.
WLS—Grain Markets.
WAAF—Seven Uppers.
WMAQ—Arnold Grimm.
WCFL—The Cavanaughs.
1:30 P. M.
*W-G-N—Terry and the Pirates.
WBBM—Your Family and Mine.
WLS—Prairie Ramblers.
WMAQ—Valiant Lady.
WIND—Modern Music.
WAAF—Just Ask Us.
WJJD—Fred Beck.
1:45 P. M.
W-G-N—Yar Concert orch.
WMAQ—Betty Crocker.
WBBM—My Son and I.
WJJD—Santaella's orch.
WIND—Race Results.
WLS—Henry's Exchange.
2:00 P. M.
*W-G-N—Marriage Romances.
WHIP—Air Hostess.
WBBM—Girl Intern.
WMAQ—Mary Marlin.
WLS—Musical program.
WJJD—Speech Clinic.
WAAF—Piesta.
2:15 P. M.
*W-G-N—Happy Larry.
WMAQ—Ma Perkins.
WCFL—Ben Totten.
WLS—Road of Life.
WIND—Race Results.
WBBM—Society Girl.
WJJD—Tea Rhythm.
2:30 P. M.
*W-G-N—Roy O'Hara's orch.
WMAQ—Pepper Young.
WLS—Homemaker's prog.
WBBM—Uncle Jonathan.
WAAF—Matinée Frolics.
WJJD—Famous Men.
WCBD—Midweek Service.
2:45 P. M.
W-G-N—Good Health.
WMAQ—Vic and Sade.
WCFL—Between Book Ends.
WJJD—Ben Alpiner.
WBBM—Our Lady of Perpetual Help.
3:00 P. M.
W-G-N—Lawrence Salerno and Piano.
WMAQ—Backstage Wife.
WENR—Club Matinée.
WHFC—Music Appreciation.
WCFL—Danceland.
WBBM—Editor's Daughter.
WIND—Sports Results.
WAAF—Mythical Ballroom.
WJJD—Fred Beck.
3:15 P. M.
*W-G-N—Mischa Borr's orch.
WBBM—Meet the Missus.
WMAQ—Stella Dallas.
3:30 P. M.
*W-G-N—Wayne West.
WMAQ—Lorenzo Jones.
WBBM—Missus to Market.
WJJD—Suppertime Frolic.
3:45 P. M.
*W-G-N—Book-a-Week.
WMAQ—Widder Brown.
WBBM—Linda's Love.
4:00 P. M.
*W-G-N—Old Fashioned Girl.
WMAQ—Girl Alone.
WIND—Sports Results.
WENR—Home Forum.
WBBM—By Kathleen Norris.
4:15 P. M.
W-G-N—Harold Turner.
WMAQ—Midstream.
WIND—Race Results.
WBBM—Golden Store.
WENR—Swingtime Serenade.
4:30 P. M.
W-G-N—Our American Language.
WENR—Affairs of Anthony.
WBBM—In Hollywood.
WMAQ—Kitty Keene.
4:45 P. M.
*W-G-N—Dick Kuhn's orch.
WENR—Dinning Sisters.
WMAQ—Frolic Before Five.
WBBM—Scattergood Baines.
WCFL—Accordiana.
5:00 P. M.
*W-G-N—Harold Turner.
WIND—Save America.
WENR—Blue Barron's orch.
WBBM—Billy and Betty.
WMAQ—Beautiful Life.
WHFC—Benny Goodman.
5:15 P. M.
*W-G-N—Harold Stokes' orch.
WBBM—Hedda Hopper.
WENR—Malcolm Claire.
WCFL—Safety Legion.
WMAQ—Evening Prelude.
WIND—Tommy Ott.
5:25 P. M.
WMAQ—Whitmer program.
5:30 P. M.
WMAQ—Jack Armstrong.
WCFL—Cameo Theater.
WENR—Bud Barton.
WBBM—H. V. Kaltenborn.
WIND—Ben Kanter.
5:45 P. M.
W-G-N—Orphan Annie.
WBBM—Europe Today.
WENR—Tom Mix.
WMAQ—Li'l Abner.
WIND—Modern Melody.
6:00 P. M.
W-G-N—Capt. Midnight.
WENR—Easy Aces.
WMAQ—Pleasure Time.
6:15 P. M.
W-G-N—Bob Elson's Sports Review.
WCFL—Say It With Music.
WMAQ—I Love a Mystery.
WENR—Mr. Keen.
WBBM—Lum and Abner.
6:30 P. M.
W-G-N—Capt. Herne.
WBBM—Burns and Allen.
WCFL—Joan Jordan.
6:35 P. M.
WMAQ—Musical Entrée.
6:45 P. M.
*W-G-N—Inside of Sports.
WCFL—Joan Jordan, songs.
WLS—Green Wilson.
7:00 P. M.
W-G-N—Heidelberg orchestra.
WBBM—Al Pearce.
WMAQ—Hollywood Playhouse.
WIND—Traffic Court.
WLS—Johnny Presents.
7:15 P. M.
WCFL—Famous Bands.
7:30 P. M.
*W-G-N—Lone Ranger.
WMAQ—Red Skelton.
WBBM—Glen Miller's orch.
WLS—Quicksilver.
WIND—Hawaiians.
8:00 P. M.
W-G-N—Joe Sanders' orch.
WMAQ—Fred Allen.
WENR—Symphony orch.
WBBM—Star Theater.
WCFL—Teachers Union.
WIND—Interpreting Baines.
8:15 P. M.
WCFL—Jack Kelly's orch.
WIND—Rhumba Time.
8:30 P. M.
W-G-N—Tomorrow's Tribune.
WCFL—Labor Flashes.
8:37 P. M.
W-G-N—Quin Ryan.
8:45 P. M.
W-G-N—Dick Jurgens' orch.
9:00 P. M.
W-G-N—Boyd Raeburn's orchestra.
WMAQ—Kay Kyser.
WBBM—Dr. Christian.
9:30 P. M.
*W-G-N—Rhythm Romance.
WBBM—Mel Cole's orch.
WCFL—Wheel of Fortune.
WIND—Concert Hall.
9:45 P. M.
WBBM—Record Rhythm.
10:00 P. M.
WENR—Ten o'Clock Final.
WBBM—Amos 'n' Andy.
WMAQ—Fred Waring's orch.
10:15 P. M.
*W-G-N—Griff Williams.
10:30 P. M.
*W-G-N—Dick Jurgens' orch.
WCFL—Music Lovers' prog.
WIND—Benny Goodman.
WBBM—Master Works.
WMAQ—Lou Breeze.
11:00 P. M.
W-G-N—Late News.
WENR—Art Kassel's orch.
WMAQ—Fats Waller's orch.
11:15 P. M.
W-G-N—Fulton Lewis.
WBBM—Ted Fio-Rito.
11:30 P. M.
W-G-N—Tommy Dorsey's orchestra.
WBBM—Buddy Rogers' orch.
WMAQ—W. Herman's orch.
MIDNIGHT.
*W-G-N—Jimmy Walsh's orchestra.
WIND—Nite Watch.
WEDC—Midnight Flyers.
12:30 A. M.
*W-G-N—Jan Garber's orch.
WENR—Fats Waller.
WBBM—Jack Jenney's orch.
1:00 A. M.
*W-G-N—Joe Sanders' orch.

Today's Features

ON W-G-N.

[Central Standard Time.]

Romance in Rhythm, W-G-N's musical show, will be presented over W-G-N and the Mutual system at 9:30 p. m. The show is directed by Harold Stokes and features Curt Massey, singer; Joe Johnson, violinist; Jess Kirkpatrick, master of ceremonies; the Four Shades of Blue, and the dance orchestra and chorus. "Last Night" will be Massey's solo. He will sing "Faithful Forever," from the movie, "Gulliver's Travels," with the chorus.

Joe Johnson.

Everyday Words, 5 minutes of correct English with Helen Hardin, will be offered at 7:40 a. m. Miss Hardin also will be heard at 4:30 p. m. in Our American Language, a program of better speech.

Dramatic shows scheduled on W-G-N include Bachelor's Children at 10:15 a. m.; The Life of Mary Sothern, starring Betty Caine, at 11:15; Painted Dreams at 11:45; The Gumps at 1 p. m.; Terry and the Pirates at 1:30; Orphan Annie at 5:45; Captain Midnight at 6, and The Lone Ranger at 7:30.

Other programs:

8:35 a. m.—Smile with Norman.

9:45—June Baker, Home Management.

10:30—Don Pedro and His Magic Violin.

2 p. m.—Marriage License Romances [MBS].

2:45—Good Health and Training; Chicago Tuberculosis institute.

6:15—Bob Elson's Sports Review.

ON OTHER STATIONS.

6:30 p. m.—WBBM—Burns and Allen, with Frank Parker.

7—WIND—Traffic Court.

7—WLS—Johnny Presents "Breezing Along."

7—WBBM—Al Pearce's Gang.

7—WMAQ—Hollywood Playhouse; Gale Page and Jim Ameche in "For the Debts of My Wife."

7:30—WMAQ—Red Skelton, Dick Todd, Cliff Arquette, and Bob Strong's orchestra.

7:30—WBBM—Glenn Miller's orchestra and the Andrews sisters.

7:30—WLS—Quicksilver.

8—WMAQ—Fred Allen, with Bob Benchley as guest.

8—WBBM—Star Theater, with Charles Laughton and Elsa Lanchester in "The Great Adventure."

8—WENR—NBC Symphony orchestra.

9—WBBM—Dr. Christian, with Jean Hersholt.

9—WMAQ—Kay Kyser, with Virginia Sims.

9:30—WBBM—Mel Coles' orchestra.

10—WMAQ—Fred Waring.

EX-GENERAL, 82, MADE OFFICER OF BOY SCOUT GROUP

Dr. S. C. Stanton of Hinsdale, retired brigadier general, was installed last night as "medicine man" of the Chicago order of the Arrow, honorary camp fraternity of Boy Scouts and their leaders, at the order's annual dinner in the Hotel Sherman. Dr. Stanton is 82 years old. Youngest of the officers installed was Robert Nelson, 19, of 6848 Osceola avenue, secretary. Others are Dwaine Filkins, chief, and Fred Brems, vice chief, both of Chicago. Approximately 250 of Chicago's 800 Arrow men attended the dinner.

Plane Crash Is Fatal to Indiana Army Flyer

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26 (AP).—Capt. Frank G. Irvin, of Greencastle, Ind., died today in Walter Reed hospital of injuries received last Saturday in an army airplane crash on the Indianapolis municipal airport. His plane nosed over after striking a concrete runway when he was attempting to land. Irvin, 37 years old, was brought here Saturday night in a special plane. The officer was born in Greencastle and graduated from DePauw university.

RIFLE SHOTS SET OFF DYNAMITE, KILLING 5 BOYS

Waterford, N. Y., Dec. 26 (AP).—Two hundred pounds of dynamite, cached in a metal covered trailer and believed exploded by a rifle bullet, blasted five young hunters to bits today.

The dead were Frederick Deeb, 15 years old; Roger Murray, 18; Russell Prescott, 14; Bentley E. Fogarty, 16, and Arthur Perras, 15, all of Cohoes, N. Y.

State police made the identifications by hunting licenses. Thomas Quigley, a state employé, said he saw five youths shooting at a target near the dynamite magazine several minutes before the blast.

The explosive, used by a contractor in deepening and widening the New York state barge canal, shook houses within a radius of 20 miles and left a crater 4 feet deep and 30 feet wide.

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OBITUARIES

Harry Newman Tolles.

Harry Newman Tolles, president of the Sheldon School of Salesmanship, 36 South State street, and a founder of the Executives' club, died yesterday in his home at 10561 Longwood drive. He was 67 years old. Mr. Tolles was born in Kansas, where his parents were pioneer settlers. He came to Chicago in 1909, and became president of the Sheldon school in 1921. He was widely known as a lecturer and expert on marketing problems. He was active in the Rotary club and the Bethany Union church, 103d and Wood streets. Surviving are his widow, Elisabeth, and two sons, Arnold and Stanley. Funeral services will be held at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow in Bethany Union church.

Frank J. Eisfeld.

The funeral of Frank J. Eisfeld, 21 years old, 1943 North Kostner avenue, will be conducted tomorrow at 9:30 a. m. from the home to St. Philomena church. Burial will be in St. Joseph cemetery. Eisfeld was killed Christmas eve when the car in which he was riding skidded and sidewiped a street car in Kedzie avenue near 28th street. He was employed in the editorial department of THE TRIBUNE.

Michael Whitty.

Funeral services for Policeman Michael Whitty, who died early yesterday in St. Anne's hospital, will be conducted tomorrow at 10 a. m. in St. Catherine of Siena church, Oak Park. Whitty was 61 years old and lived at 5650 Washington boulevard. He was assigned to the city controller's office. Surviving are two daughters, Mary and Anne. His wife, Ellen, died two weeks ago.

John N. Brown.

Winsted, Conn., Dec. 26 [Special].—Funeral services were held here today for John N. Brown, 83 years old, well known organist and composer of choral settings used in Episcopalian church services. He was once organist for seven years at the Hyde Park Presbyterian church in Chicago. He died on Saturday at his residence, Sandy Brook farm, Riverton, Conn.

William P. Beher.

Funeral services for William P. Beher, who served 16 terms as mayor of Montgomery, a village five miles south of Aurora in Kane county, will be held at 10:30 a. m. today in the chapel at 332 Downer place, Aurora. Mr. Beher, who was 71 years old, died Monday in his home at Montgomery. Surviving are his widow and a son.

Dr. Samuel E. Embry.

Dr. Samuel E. Embry, 4432 North Christiana avenue, died yesterday at the age of 82. He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Mamie Ellerson, Mrs. Cora Richards, and Jessie Embry, and one son, Louis. Funeral services will be held Friday at 1:30 p. m. in the chapel at 3224 Montrose avenue.

Prof. Max Handman.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Dec. 26 (AP).—Max Handman, 54 years old, economics professor at the University of Michigan since 1931, died today of heart disease after a long illness. A native of Rumania, Handman came to this country in 1903 and was educated at the Universities of Oregon and Chicago.

Miss Helen Swan.

Funeral services for Miss Helen Swan, a radio singer and accordionist known as Gypsy Nina, will be conducted tomorrow in the Elmwood cemetery, Hammond. Miss Swan, who was 39 years old, died Monday night in the home of her mother, Mrs. Amadore Swan, 46 Carroll street, Hammond.

Luther Dana Fernald.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 26 (AP).—Luther Dana Fernald, 54 years old, one time vice president and advertising director of the Farm Journal and active in the publishing field for 30 years, died last night after a long illness. He was a native of Garretsville, O., and was graduated from the University of Chicago.

The Rev. George Violich.

The Rev. George Violich, pastor of St. Mary's Croatian Catholic church in Joliet, died yesterday. He was 72 years old. He built the church 34 years ago and was its only pastor.

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Mrs. William Arndt, 90, Dies at Beaver Dam, Wis.

Beaver Dam, Wis., Dec. 26 [Special].—Mrs. William Arndt, 90 years old, died here today at the home of a daughter. Surviving are six children, nine grandchildren, and ten great-grandchildren.

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In Memoriam.

CRAWFORD—Robert F. Crawford. In loving memory of our beloved husband and father, who passed away two years ago today.
DEVOTED WIFE AND SON.

DIBBLE—Josephine A. Dibble. In loving memory of our daughter, who passed on eight years ago today.
BLAIR AND MAMIE DIBBLE.

KLEIN—Rebecca Klein. In loving remembrance of our darling. Rest in peace.
THE FAMILY.

KOPITZKE—Charles Kopitzke. In fond and loving memory of our dear husband and father who passed away two years ago today. Sweet memories keep you close to us.
LOVING WIFE AND FAMILY.

LIVINGSTON—Fannie K. Livingston. In loving memory of our beloved wife and mother, Dec. 27, 1937.
HUSBAND AND DAUGHTERS.

ALTEN—Henry Alten, Dec. 25, at Benton Harbor, Mich., husband of Rose Alten, brother of Sophia Bestman, Minnie Elken, Flora Richards, Fred, William, and Ernest Alten. Funeral at Benton Harbor, Mich., Thursday at 1 p. m.

ANDERSON—Apolonia C. Anderson of 6717 N. Artesian avenue, Dec. 26, 1939, beloved wife of Carl Anderson, mother of Paul, Eleanor, and Robert. At chapel, 5501 N. Ashland avenue, where services will be held Friday, Dec. 29, at 2 p. m. Interment Rosehill.

APPEL—Albert Appel, late of 1955 S. 56th avenue, Cicero, dearly beloved husband of Pearl [nee Bending], devoted father of Henry J. Appel, fond brother of Mrs. Elizabeth Green. Services Thursday, Dec. 28, at 2:30 p. m., at funeral home, 6227-29 W. Cermak road, Berwyn. Interment Waldheim. Member of A. A. of S. & E. R. E. of A., No. 241. Carl Bereitter, 1806.

BERREITTER—Karl Berreitter, suddenly, late of 2935 N. Narragansett avenue, beloved husband of Helen, dear father of Carl, Victor, Waldemar, and Arthur. Funeral Thursday, Dec. 28, at 2 p. m., from funeral home, 3946-48 Milwaukee avenue, to Acacia Park crematorium. Phone Kildare 4000.

BERRY—William Berry, beloved husband of Cecelia, nee Soukup. Services Thursday, 2 p. m., at parlor, corner Dorchester and 67th street. Interment Oakwoods cemetery.

BIVONA—Margaret M. Bivona, nee Hajostek; beloved wife of Peter, fond mother of Paul and Arthur. Funeral Friday, Dec. 29, 9 a. m., from chapel, 5247-53 Fullerton avenue, to Resurrection church. Interment St. Joseph's cemetery. Berkshire 6400.

BLESKAN—Marie Bleskan, nee Roza, beloved wife of Frank, beloved mother of Maria Dziekan, mother-in-law of Bruno Dziekan loving daughter of Mary Roza, fond sister of John, Charles, Joseph, Minnie, and Peter Roza, and Emily Myslewski. Funeral Thursday, Dec. 28, 9 a. m., from chapel, 1938 W. 47th street, to St. Michael's church. Burial Resurrection.

BRIGGS—William Russell Briggs, suddenly, at Pasadena, Cal., husband of Ida, nee Pincus; brother of May Briggs and Beatrice O'Toole. Funeral services Wednesday, 2 p. m., at chapel, 5206 Broadway. Interment Rosehill.

BUCKMASTER—Ben Stalker Buckmaster of 121 N. Linden avenue, Highland Park, Ill., formerly of Chicago and Kenosha, Wis., beloved husband of Lila, nee Taylor; father of Lila Jean and Albert Taylor Buckmaster, brother of Bruce M. Buckmaster of Washington, D. C., and Dean A. Buckmaster of Evanston. Funeral from Highland Park Presbyterian church, Wednesday, at 3 p. m. Interment at Memorial Park.

BURKE—Elizabeth Burke, nee Doherty; late of 7804 Emerald avenue, beloved wife of John, mother of David, Thomas, John, and Eugene. Funeral Thursday, at 10:30 a. m., from son's residence, 7947 Peoria street, to St. Leo church. Interment St. Mary's.

CALLAHAN—Peter B. Callahan, beloved husband of the late Mary, nee Murphy; father of Richard, Rosemary, and Irene, son of Mrs. Ellen Johnson, brother of William, John, and Arthur Callahan. Funeral Thursday, 9 a. m. from parlors, corner of Dorchester and 67th street, to St. Brid's church. Interment Holy Sepulchre.

CLARK—Helen Loftus Clark, Dec. 26, daughter of the late Patrick J. and Catherine McMahon Loftus, sister of John W., T. Austin, Mrs. Eulalia Davies, Anthony, James, Patrick F., Sister Rose Conceptia, O. P., Mrs. Abeline O'Connell, and the late Mary, Bernard, and Mrs. Catherine Harr. Funeral Friday at 9:30 a. m. from chapel, Jeffery boulevard at 77th street, to St. Brid's church. Mass, 10 o'clock. Interment Mount Olivet. Kindly omit flowers. South Shore 8822.

COLBERG—Arthur Paul Colberg, beloved husband of Paula, nee Voigt; dear father of Elvine, Kenneth, Eunice and Richard, son of Mrs. E. Colberg, brother of Martha, Mrs. Emma Schulze, Mrs. Minnie Wied, Gustav and Walter. At rest and funeral from chapel, 115 Broadway, Melrose Park. Services, 2 p. m., Thursday at St. Paul's church, 11th avenue and Lake street, Melrose Park. Interment Forest Home.

CONSIDINE—Hannah Considine, nee Reardon; beloved wife of the late James F., fond mother of Margaret C., and the late Dennis and Mae Considine. Funeral Thurs., Dec. 28, at 9 a. m., from her late residence, 5013 Washington boulevard, to St. Thomas Aquinas' church. Interment Calvary. Please omit flowers. Kedzie 7007.

DALENBERG—Claude J. Dalenberg of 12238 Harvard avenue beloved husband of Jennie, nee Waalkes, fond father of Jane, Barbara, Frances, and John Franklin, brother of the Rev. Nelson W. Dalenberg and the late Mrs. Elizabeth M. Atchison. Funeral service Wednesday, 2 p. m., at chapel, 304 W. 119th street. Interment Oak Lawn.

DEL PRINCIPE—Elvira Del Principe, nee Ciolli; beloved wife of the late Peter, fond mother of Anthony, Joseph, Emil, John, Hank, Otto, Paul, Gilbert, and Frank. Funeral from late residence, 2244 W. Harrison street, Thursday, Dec. 28, 9 a. m., to St. Callisto church. Burial Mount Carmel cemetery.

DEATH NOTICES

EWS—James C. Matthews, beloved d of Alice, nee Smith; father of Matthews and Mrs. Hazel Brunson. Wednesday, 1 p. m., at chapel, W. Madison. Interment Waldheim. Services by Sunrise lodge, No. F. & A. M.

LE—Elbert H. McCorkle, beloved of Rosella Husker McCorkle, dear of Helen Schultz and Maxine Miller, grandfather of Robert Schultz. Fu- services Wednesday, 3:30 p. m., at 6708 W. Madison street. Burial Hobart, Ind. Mr. McCorkle was a rrier at the Division street station.

HLIN—Margaret McLaughlin, 3035 venue, mother of Edward, George, nk McLauchlin. Remains at chapel, ottage Grove avenue. Services at ngels church, 9:30 a. m., Thursday. Interment St. Mary's.

Carl A. Melin, husband of the late [nee Anderson], fond father of Decker and Walter Melin, beloved ther of Gladys Melin and Robert, and the late Lucille Decker, fond of Emma Johnson and Vera. At rest in the funeral home Irving Park road, where services held Thursday at 2:30 p. m. Interment Montrose cemetery.

EN—Carrie Mouritsen, nee Mon- of 3452 Janssen avenue, beloved Martin, dear mother of Clarence, and Mrs. George Schmidt. Fu- rvices Thursday at 2 p. m. at home, 3301 Fullerton avenue. Interment Oakridge.

orge R. Novy, suddenly, late of Elmwood avenue, Berwyn, dearly son of Rudolph and Anna Novy rosl, loving brother of Clara and R. Services Wednesday, Dec. 27, m., at funeral home, 6227 26 nak road, Berwyn, to Bohemian Phone Berwyn 1866.

Minnie Opler, nee Kahn; beloved the late Mortimer, devoted mother Opler, Tessie Goldmeyer, Elsie on, Adele Royal, Samuel, Edmond, and the late Sydney K. Opler. Ser- chapel, Congregation Beth Elohim, ue and Garfield place, Brooklyn, ednesday, Dec. 27, at 2 p. m.

See Del Principe notice.

Lulu Faulkner Perry, beloved wife L. of Baltimore, Md. Funeral at chapel, Oak Woods cemetery, 3 Wednesday, Dec. 27. Please omit

R—Anna Podolsky of 823 Lawrence beloved wife of the late Louis, ther of Sadie Adler, Clara Levitze, Kirschner, Ruth Handler, and Podol, fond sister of Bertha lin Friedman, and the late Abra- ham. Funeral services Thursday, at chapel, 5206 Broadway. Inter- bereth Zion, Waldheim.

rien Ptach, Dec. 25, beloved wife ie Frank, dear mother of John, nton, and Sophie Larson. Funeral at 9:30 a. m. from funeral home, Fullerton avenue, to St. Josaphat Interment St. Adalbert's.

J. Craig Redmon, beloved hus- Benola E.; fond brother of Jean late Charles M. Redmon. Services 2 p. m., at Allen funeral home.

SON—Ida Richardson, Dec. 25, Glen Ellyn, Ill., beloved wife of ., fond mother of Ida Gershon, grandchildren, sister of William d Addie Hayes. Funeral services 2 p. m., at chapel, 5149 N. Ash- ue at Foster. Interment Elmwood. 5147.

ra C Rudd, Dec. 26th, 1939, be- e of Bernhard, dear mother of Foss, Mrs. Borghild Stanger, e Herbst, of Milwaukee, Georgi co. and the late Mrs. Hattie nd sister of Mrs. Mathilda Ger- vices Friday, 2 p. m. at Bethel church, 2101 Humboldt boule- rest at funeral chapel, 4538-40 avenue until 10 a. m. Friday. Mount Olive, Stoughton, Wis. ase copy.

—Charles W. Schaller, Dec. 26, 1826 S. Michigan avenue, beloved of Mary Jane, father of William of Caroline, brother of Edward r Schaller. Funeral Friday, 2 chapel, 1820 S. Michigan avenue, pices of Crystal lodge, No. 1025, A. M., Interment Acacia Park. Rudolph Schroer, beloved hus- Edith, loving father of Norma a, dear son of Otto and Emilia At chapel, 2712 S. Kildare ave- ate funeral services Thursday Interment Hanover cemetery, ind.

-Joseph Schulien Sr., late resi- 7 Geneva terrace, age 85 years, f the late Mary, nee Egle; father Jr., Matt J., John A., Marie arl A. and A. J. Achhammer. riday Dec. 29, 8:30 a. m., from 14 Irving Park-rd., to St. Cle- rch. Interment St. Boniface.

arles P. Schutz, husband of the a, beloved father of Walter, Charles, Alice, Mrs. Helen Min- Martha Perez, and the late ral services Thursday afternoon, at mortuary, 1356 Wellington terment Rosehill cemetery.

ark Shanks, Dec. 25, of 139 N. venue, beloved husband of Alice of Lillian D., brother of Minnie Wednesday, Dec. 27, at 1:30 chapel, 124-126 Madison street, at Lombard avenue. Interment Member of Adelphi lodge, No. & A. M.; York chapter, No. M.; past commander of Austin y, No. 84, K. T.; Oriental Con- Medinah Temple. Commandery chapel.

herine Sliwa, beloved wife of seph, loving mother of William, pel, and Edward, grandmother a, mother-in-law of Clarence Stella. Funeral Thursday, 9:15 funeral home, 2950-58 Fuller- ramento, to St. John Cantius terment St. Adalbert's. Infor- mont 3300.

Richard W. Spencer, fond hus- Georgia [nee Canty]. Funeral Dec. 28, 1 p. m., at funeral S. Halsted street. Interment nel. Yards 0662.

rry Newman Tolles, Dec. 26, of wood drive, husband of Elsa- es, father of Arnold and Stan- l service Thursday, 2:30 p. m., Union church, 103d and Wood-st.

lary Trecker [nee Sippel] of Washtenaw avenue, beloved late William, fond mother of h Kendrick, John, and Fred uneral Thursday at 9:30 a. m., 2315 W. North avenue, to us' church. Interment St. metery.

cholas Tymusz of 1063 N. avenue, beloved husband of father of Rose, Michael, and ko, brother of Catherine Gabro a Denetro. Member of Provi- No. 55; member of U. S. A- and U. H. O., and Galewood 549. Funeral Thursday, 8:30 chapel, 2255 Chicago avenue, olas church, Oakley boulevard Burial St. Nicholas cemetery.

oh Tuohy, of 1242 W. Erie ed husband of the late Angela, beloved father of James and Amato, beloved brother of atherine, Frances, Edward, and al Thursday, Dec. 28, 9 a. m., home, 1056 W. Chicago ave- Columbkille's church. Interment bel. Member Commodore Barry 1118 K. of C.

eline Keim Vogel, 7247 Perry 26, 1939, beloved wife of , mother of Ernest, Carl Vogel, argaret Vogel McDiarmid. At and Harvard, where services Friday, Dec. 29, at 11 a. m. ivate.

y P. Weber of Oak Park, Ill., band of the late Margaret E. fond father of Anna C. and E. Jannicck, grandfather of et Kiley and Henry J. Jan- grandfather of Jackie Kiley. Holy Name society. Funeral 9:30 a. m., from chapel, ge avenue, to St. Giles church, Boniface.

ewis A. Weyburn, at his rest- Elmwood avenue, Oak Park, the late Harriet H., father of burn Kerr and the late Jane by. Funeral private. Please

hael Whitty of 5630 Wash- ward, beloved husband of the Brien Whitty, fond father of the late William, and Thomas, sday, Dec. 28, at 9:30 a. m., ckson boulevard, to St. Cath- s church. Burial Mount Car- of P. B. A. Kedzie 2304.

Mary Wuerth Horrer notice.

n Zadelkis of 1432 W. 14th husband of Petronele, father Kyan, Mary Minx, Charles, William. Funeral 1:30 Fri- at chapel, 3354 S. Halsted. huantan National.

ns Zmarzla, beloved mother hn, Joseph, Henry, Catherine ey Pomorski, Julia, and lewski. Funeral Friday, 9:30 hapel, 5753 Fullerton avenue, church. Interment Resurrec- Berkshire 6400.

t T. Zyich of 3321 W. beloved son of Walter S. and brother of Mrs. Charlotte -in-law of Carl Smith. Fu- Dec. 29, at 9:30 a. m. from boulevard, to Our Lady of h, Kedzie 2304.

MORE EMPLOYED LAST MONTH IN CHICAGO PLANTS

Rise Counters Usual November Trend.

Industrial employment in the Chicago metropolitan area in November rose against the seasonal trend for an increase of 2.2 per cent as compared with October, Martin P. Durkin, director of the Illinois department of labor, reported yesterday. Pay rolls in the area, which usually decline at that time of year, expanded 4.3 per cent.

The showing of the metropolitan area was better than that for the downstate area or for the entire state, the report showed. The downstate gain in employment was 1.4 per cent over October, and there was a decrease of 0.7 per cent in pay rolls. For the entire state employment increased 1.9 per cent and pay rolls declined 0.1 per cent.

Chicago Jobs and Pay Rise.

In the city of Chicago alone employment increased 2.2 per cent and pay rolls 0.4 per cent as compared with October.

The survey covered 6,756 manufacturing and nonmanufacturing establishments employing 653,239 persons thruout the state.

The state-wide increase of 1.9 per cent in employment compared with a 16 year average decrease of 0.7 per cent, and the 0.1 per cent decline in pay rolls compared with a 16 year average October to November drop of 1.7 per cent.

The comparisons with November, 1938, were even more favorable than the month to month changes. The state-wide gain in employment last month, as compared with November, 1938, was 11.8 per cent, and the rise in pay rolls was 17 per cent.

Auto Output Best of Year.

The Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago issued a report covering business conditions in the 7th [Chicago] federal reserve district. It said United States automobile production in the first full week of December was the largest of the year so far.

Despite the shutdown of one large automobile producer, November output exceeded that of October, although it was less than in November, 1938, the report said.

A small decline in employment in the district from mid-October to mid-November was reported for the manufacturing industries. Pay rolls decreased more than employment.

In the nonmanufacturing industries the seasonal trend prevailed, with the merchandising group showing an increase and the construction industry reporting declines in employment and pay rolls.

FOREIGN HOLDING COMPANIES WIN SEC EXEMPTION

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26 (AP).—The Securities and Exchange commission granted a general exemption from the utilities holding company act today to American & Foreign Power company, Inc., insofar as its activities concern foreign countries.

American & Foreign, a subsidiary of Electric Bond and Shares company, is a 500 million dollar corporation controling 113 companies in 13 countries. Altho 27 of the companies are incorporated in the United States, neither American & Foreign nor any of its subsidiaries operate properties in this country.

The foreign companies are located in Panama, Guatemala, Cuba, Argentina, Brazil, Chile, China, Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador, India, Mexico, and Venezuela.

The commission said that it could not grant a complete exemption "in view of the capital structure of Foreign Power, the huge preferred dividend arrears, the important investor interest in that company and the controling influence exercised by Bond and Share.

SEC SEEKS BAN ON ILLINOIS OIL LAND PROMOTION

An injunction against the president and four salesmen of two Chicago firms dealing in real estate in the southern Illinois oil basin was sought yesterday in Federal District court here by W. McNeil Kennedy, regional administrator of the Securities and Exchange commission.

Kennedy charged that Carl A. Futter, president and treasurer of the Aladdin Farms company and the Great Northern Land corporation, 160 East Illinois street, and his associates had violated the federal securities law in selling about $100,000 in land units to 200 persons in Illinois, Iowa, and Missouri.

The SEC said these units were securities and should have been registered with it before sale. Also, the SEC charged, Futter and the salesmen misled buyers by telling them the companies were retaining some of the land in each section in order to share in royalties should oil be found.

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Profits Soar for Lockheed; Sales Tripled

Lockheed Aircraft corporation of Burbank, Cal., yesterday reported a large increase in earnings and said its sales in the full year 1939 will be three times as large as in 1938. The summary of the company's activities was issued by Robert E. Gross, its president.

Robert E. Gross.

Gross said Lockheed's net profit in the first 11 months of this year was $2,705,582, after provision for all taxes and depreciation, compared with $418,709 in the corresponding period of 1938. The 1939 eleven month figure was the largest in the company's history for such a period.

Sales in the first 11 months exceeded $32,000,000, compared with $9,078,675 in the 1938 period. Gross said the backlog of unfilled orders is about $46,000,000. The company has received large orders from abroad as a result of the European war.

Other Companies Earn More.

Several large companies in Chicago and elsewhere yesterday reported increased earnings for various periods. Two utility holding companies with offices in Chicago announced declines in profits.

Storkline Furniture corporation, Chicago, manufacturer of furniture for children, issued a report for the fiscal year ended Nov. 30 showing a profit of $109,960, equal to $1.10 a capital share. In the preceding fiscal year net income was $60,316, or 60 cents a share.

United Light and Power company, a holding company with offices in Chicago, reported consolidated net income of $3,605,216 for the 12 months ended Oct. 31. This was equal to less than 1 cent a share on the combined class A and class B common stocks. In the preceding 12 months profit was $3,880,179, or 8 cents a common share. Profit of the parent company alone increased, however, totaling $871,992, against $442,543 in the preceding 12 months.

Continental Gas Earnings.

Continental Gas and Electric corporation, another Chicago holding company, announced that it and its subsidiaries had net profit of $3,612,743, or $10.69 a common share, in the 12 months ended Oct. 31. In the preceding 12 months earnings were $3,995,835, or $12.29 a share.

Corporation incomes were reported yesterday as follows:

	November.	
	1939.	1938.
El Paso Nat Gas...	231,634	235,921
Third Ave Rwy.....	*60,555	*40,296
Pitt & Lake Erie....	733,801	303,837
	Quarter Ended Dec. 2.	
	1939.	1938.
Wesson Oil & Snow.	925,706	324,825
Per share	1.08	.05
	Eleven Months Ended Nov. 30.	
Lockheed Aircraft .	2,705,582	418,709
Per share	3.49	unavailable
N Eng Tel & Tel..	8,978,269	6,307,313
Pitt & Lake Erie....	3,291,918	1,726,593
	Twelve Months Ended Oct. 31.	
Am Light & Trac..	4,988,176	4,825,395
Per share	1.51	1.45
Cont Gas & El....	3,612,743	3,955,835
Per share	10.69	12.29
Unit L & P & subs do, parent co. only	3,605,216 871,992	3,880,179 442,543
	Twelve Months Ended Nov. 30.	
El Paso Nat Gas..	2,522,746	1,954,977
Per share	4.02	3.10
	Fiscal Year Ended Sept. 30.	
Cuban-Am Sugar...	716,953	*241,978
Per share	.21	.....
Roeser & Pendleton	316,027	596,469
Per share	1.49	2.81
	Fiscal Year Ended Oct. 28.	
Hygrade Food Prod.	124,020	*422,967
	Fiscal Year Ended Oct. 31.	
Continental Motors..	*215,165	*548,287
Hat Corp of Amer..	703,356	325,888
Per share	†1.00	†.28
	Fiscal Year Ended Nov. 30.	
Storkline Furniture..	109,960	60,316
Per share	1.10	.60

*Net loss. †On combined A and B common shares.

JURY INDICTS 8 ON INVESTMENT FRAUD CHARGES

Eight officers and employés of S. W. Gongoll & Co., bankrupt investment management firm of Minneapolis, Minn., have been indicted on charges of mail fraud and violation of the federal securities law, W. McNeil Kennedy, Chicago regional administrator of the Securities and Exchange commission disclosed yesterday.

The alleged investment fraud perpetrated by the six men and two women named, one of them a Chicagoan, cost 2,600 investors about $2,750,000 in savings, Kennedy said. He identified the Chicagoan as Miss Elaine M. Wegfors.

The investment management firm was forced into bankruptcy in September, 1938. Stanley W. Gongoll of Minneapolis, president of the firm, was convicted of grand larceny and is now in prison. Others indicted are Frank F. Hofacre, Miss Mildred V. Nylund, William S. Douglas, H. M. Dixon, Stanley B. Newhall, and Paul J. Thompson, all of Minneapolis.

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United States No Longer Has Half of England's Cotton Trade

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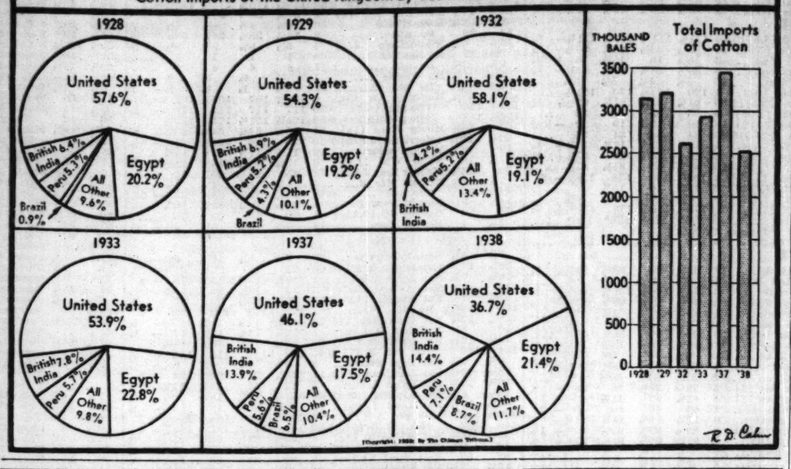


Stock Costing 19 Millions Is Sold at $30,600

Jersey City, N. J., Dec. 26 (AP).—A block of 150,000 shares of Missouri Pacific railway preferred stock for which the late Van Sweringen brothers of Cleveland paid $19,500,000 a decade ago was sold at auction here today for $30,600, an average of 20.4 cents a share.

The stock, sold to Allen & Co., a Wall street securities firm, had been the property of Alleghany corporation, holding company organized in 1929 as a corporate base for the Van Sweringens pyramid of properties.

The sale attracted only a few active bidders and the auction was concluded in 15 minutes. Disposal of the stock by this means had been authorized by the Federal court upon application of present Alleghany managers.

Tax Considerations Hinted.

Financial circles believed the desire to sell at this time was based on tax considerations. Alleghany still owns more than half a million shares of Missouri Pacific common stock and a sizable amount of bonds. The entire investment was reported to have cost the Van Sweringens about 70 million dollars.

The Van Sweringens obtained control of the 10,000 mile Missouri Pacific system in 1930, climaxing a series of spectacular deals by which the brothers had risen from obscurity to capitalists of the first magnitude.

Their dream was to link Missouri Pacific with their other key properties—Nickel Plate, Chesapeake & Ohio and Erie, and thus establish the first American Transcontinental system.

Financial Structure Crashes.

However, the whole structure, once rated as having resources of 3 billion dollars, crashed under the financial strain of the early 1930s and in October, 1935, the controling shares of Alleghany corporation were sold under the hammer for $3,121,000 to satisfy bank loan claims of 48 million dollars.

M. J. Van Sweringen died 10 months before the foreclosure; O. P. died less than a year after the sale.

The Missouri Pacific in 1933 filed for reorganization under the national bankruptcy act. The stock sold on the exchange today from 87 cents to 62 cents a share. A lower than quoted market price is not uncommon in the auction of large blocks of securities.

City National Bank Adds Million to Surplus Account

The City National Bank and Trust Company of Chicago announced yesterday that its directors voted to transfer $1,000,000 from undivided profits to the surplus account. The action will increase the surplus account to $3,000,000. The transfer is the second authorized within the last three years. The capital and surplus of the bank now is $7,000,000.

TIMM AIRCRAFT CORP. WILL BUILD PLASTIC PLANES FOR TRAINING

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 26 [Special].—Predictions that the Timm Aircraft corporation would be operating on a profit basis before the end of the first quarter of 1940 were voiced today by O. W. Timm, president. He said employment at the plant has been doubled in the last 30 days to catch up on a backlog of airplane parts orders amounting to $70,000.

Meanwhile, preparations for manufacturing the new Timm plastic training plane took another forward step last week with completion of the main building to hold the largest baking oven ever constructed for plastic processing, he disclosed.

Erection of two additional buildings to house all plastic operations will follow immediately in order to leave present space available for continued increase in parts manufacturing and to be ready for production of plastic planes as soon as the new oven arrives Feb. 1.

Shortly after Jan. 1 the company will add another 100 artisans and mechanics to its payroll, according to Timm.

HAFFNER DENIES RECEIVING $1,500 FROM RISK FIRM

Ernest Palmer, Illinois insurance director, said yesterday that Ray R. Haffner, chief actuary of the insurance department, had denied having received $1,500 from the American Conservation company, a Chicago reinsurance company.

A. J. Leary, a Securities and Exchange commission investigator, said last week that check stubs and an audit of the company's books showed the payment was made to Haffner. Herbert Shimp, president of American Conservation, denied the payment was made and said: "It must be a mistake of the auditors." Both testified at a monopoly committee hearing at Washington, D. C.

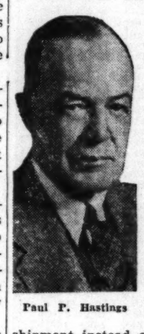
Palmer said he had not yet received an official transcript of the testimony concerning American Conservation and several other insurance companies operating in Illinois, and that any action the department might take must await a study of the testimony.

Duquesne Light to Spend 16 Millions on Expansion

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 26 (AP).—To meet increasing demands for electric power, the Duquesne Light company announced today it will undertake a $16,000,000 expansion program early in 1940. Part of the money will be spent for a new 80,000 horse power steam turbine generator unit at the company's Reed station on nearby Brunot island. The announcement said the company had decided to advance the expansion program "because of improved business conditions in the Pittsburgh district, particularly during recent months."

Santa Fe Cuts Freight Time to Kansas City

A new overnight freight train service between Chicago and Kansas City which will bring Kansas City 24 hours nearer Chicago and southern markets was announced yesterday by Paul P. Hastings, vice president of the Santa Fe railway. The road effective at once, is cutting seven hours from the running time of its evening freight train.



Paul P. Hastings

The time reduction makes possible delivery of goods the morning after shipment instead of the morning of the second day under old schedules. Under the old schedules shipments left Chicago at 6 p. m. and arrived in Kansas City the next afternoon. It took the remainder of the afternoon to get the cars placed for unloading, so that deliveries were not made until the following morning.

Provides Speedier Delivery.

The new train will leave Chicago at 6 p. m. and arrive in Kansas City at 7:30 a. m. in ample time for delivery of goods for the opening of business. The road's pickup and delivery service in both Chicago and Kansas City expedite the shipments.

While the Santa Fe train is traveling at a speed comparable to that of a passenger train, accompanying waybills will be transmitted from Chicago to Kansas City by teletype. Clerks in Kansas City will have time during the night to prepare to revise the bills so that they can go out with the goods when they arrive in the morning.

Speeds Service to Southwest.

"With this new train," Hastings said, "the Santa Fe offers shippers the fastest freight service to Kansas City either direct from Chicago or on movements of goods thru the Chicago rail gateway," Hastings said. "It will also bring Texas and Oklahoma 24 hours closer to Chicago, insuring first night delivery of goods at Oklahoma City and third morning delivery at Beaumont, Houston, and Galveston, Tex."

The new freight train will leave Chicago just ahead of the road's fleet of passenger trains and will not be overtaken until it is in the outskirts of Kansas City.

Northwestern Mutual Life Issues 3 Millionth Pollicy

The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance company yesterday issued policy number 3,000,000 to Lee J. Loventhal II., of Chicago, who is a life underwriter associated with the Hobart & Oates general agency for the company in Chicago. The company was founded in 1858.

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60 MILLION RAIL BOND OFFERING EXPECTED SOON

L. & N. Has Largest Issue in 3 Years.

Offering may be made later this week of $60,000,000 of Louisville and Nashville railroad bonds by a group headed by Morgan Stanley & Co., it was reported yesterday. This will be the largest railroad financial operation in three years.

Proceeds from the sale of the bonds, which are expected to consist of $30,000,000 of ten year 3½ per cent obligations and $30,000,000 of twenty year 4 per cent bonds, will be used together with $9,243,000 in cash from the road's treasury for the payment of $69,243,000 in unified 4 per cent bonds due July 1, 1940.

Chicago Firms in Group.

The underwriting syndicate is to include 75 investment houses. In addition 500 or more security dealers thruout the country are expected to participate. Chicago houses in the underwriting group will include Glore, Forgan & Co. and Harris, Hall & Co.

Decision to form the underwriting group and to market the bonds at once was reported to have been taken late last week. Members of the syndicate outside New York were called on Saturday with respect to their participation. Railroad obligations are exempted in the securities and exchange act from registration with the SEC, so that the offering may be made after authorization by the Interstate Commerce commission.

Major Southern Carrier.

The Louisville and Nashville, which has its headquarters in Louisville, Ky., is one of the principal roads in the south. It has more than 8,000 miles of track. Among the cities which it links are Cincinnati, Louisville, St. Louis, Memphis, Atlanta, Nashville, Pensacola, and New Orleans. Much Chicago traffic to Florida and the southeast makes connections with the road at Evansville, Ind. Within the last ten years the road failed to earn its fixed charges only in 1932.

The last large railroad financial operations were carried out in 1936. They included $60,000,000 for the Southern Pacific and $60,300,000 for the Virginian.

A group headed by Harris, Hall & Co., will offer today $2,250,000 of Central States Electric company first mortgage 4 per cent bonds due 1964 at 102. Proceeds will be used for refunding purposes. Headquarters of the company are in Cedar Rapids and operations are carried on in Iowa and Minnesota.

Water Issue Registered.

The Ohio Water Service company, Struthers, O., has filed a registration statement with the SEC covering $3,750,000 of first mortgage 4 per cent bonds, due Dec. 1, 1964. Proceeds will be used for refunding purposes. Halsey, Stuart & Co. and Coffn & Burr, Inc., both of Chicago, are the underwriters.

Joseph D. McGoldrick, controler of New York, announced the sale to 26 banks and trust companies of $35,000,000 New York City revenue bills at an interest rate of 0.25 per cent.

Offering is being made of $4,059,000 of Inspiration Consolidated Copper company first mortgage convertible 4 per cent bonds, due 1952, at 100. Blyth & Co., Inc., heads the underwriting group. Proceeds, together with available cash, will be applied to the payment of promissory notes outstanding in the aggregate amount of $7,000,000. The offering is the remainder of a $5,910,000 offer to stockholders which expired on Dec. 22.

Coffee Market So Sleepy Traders Can't Stay Awake

New York, Dec. 26 (AP).—Coffee caused no sleeplessness among coffee traders today. A total of four orders in coffee futures changed hands in the Coffee and Sugar exchange. "We've been drinking black coffee all day," complained one dealer, "trying to keep awake."

Grains Climb Despite Snow in Dry Areas

CHICAGO GRAIN PRICES

Closing prices on the May delivery of principal grains on the Chicago Board of Trade:

	Yester'y.	Saturday	Year ago.
Wheat	$1.03⅝	$1.02⅛	$0.68⅛
Corn	.58⅝	.57½	.52⅝
Oats	.38⅝	.38⅝	.29⅜
Rye	.77⅛	.73⅝	.45⅝
Soy Beans	1.23	1.19	.81⅛

Grain prices advanced briskly yesterday after an early decline. Rye led the upturn with the May delivery selling at a new high price for the season at 77⅞ cents at one time, or 5¼ cents above the low point touched shortly after trading started.

Closing trades were about at the day's top prices, with wheat ⅞ to 1⅛ cents higher. Corn gained 1¼ to 1⅛ cents and rye was 3 to 3¼ cents higher. Soy beans closed 3½ to 4 cents higher.

The upturn in the grain markets occurred despite the most general snowstorm of the winter. It blanketed the larger part of the winter wheat belt.

Most Moisture Since August.

Some points have received 1 inch of moisture in the last three days, the heaviest precipitation in some sections since early in August.

Unfavorable crop reports from the northwestern states, which with Nebraska account for about 50 per cent of the acreage seeded to rye, was responsible for the independent strength in that grain. Cash interests and professional traders were active on the buying side and the market disclosed a lack of selling pressure. The advance took place despite reports that Argentine rye could be bought at a price equal to 68½ cents a bushel, delivered at New York. The import duty is 12 cents a bushel.

Crop experts, while taking a much more optimistic view of the domestic situation as the result of the snowfall, said it would not be a cureall and more moisture would be highly beneficial.

The upturn in corn futures put the price sufficiently high to permit farmers of Illinois being bid 50 cents a bushel for No. 2 yellow corn at country elevators.

May Plant More Spring Wheat.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26 (AP).—The agricultural department reported today that present indications point to a 10 per cent increase in plantings of spring wheat for harvest in 1940 and a crop of about 200,000,000 bushels if yields turn out to be average. Spring wheat normally is seeded in March and April.

However, it would fall short of offsetting prospects for an abnormally small winter wheat crop. Because of drouth conditions in the midwest, 1940 winter wheat production has been officially forecast at 399,000,000 bushels.

The department said that indicated yields point to a total 1940 wheat crop of about 600,000,000 bushels, or about 60,000,000 bushels smaller than estimates of needs for the 1940 marketing year. Deficiencies would be made up, the department said, from a 254,000,000 bushel surplus from old crops.

FEDERAL POWER PERILS MIDDLE WEST INDUSTRY

'Unfair' Competition Is Condemned.

BY PHILIP HAMPSON.

A new threat to industries of Illinois and other middle western states was seen yesterday in the announcement that the Aluminum Company of America will build an aluminum plant at Vancouver, Wash., where it will use Bonneville dam's cheap electric power.

W. Homer Hartz, president of the Illinois Manufacturers' association, denounced the sale of electricity produced at the Bonneville dam and other federal power plants as "unfair" to Illinois and other middle western states.

Dr. Hugh S. Magill (left) and W. Homer Hartz condemn subsidized power projects as unfair to Illinois and other middle western states.

He said that federal power projects, which are able to sell electricity at much lower rates than those charged by middle western companies, are financed to a great extent by middle western taxpayers who are already at a disadvantage because of the Panama canal.

Dr. Magill Also Hits Project.

Dr. Hugh S. Magill, president of the American Federation of Investors, also criticized the Bonneville power operations.

Paul J. Raver, administrator of Bonneville power operations, disclosed in Washington yesterday that Bonneville rates will be cheaper under certain circumstances than those of the Tennessee Valley Authority. The TVA area, with its federally subsidized power operations, already has attracted several big northern enterprises.

Raver said the contract with the Aluminum company provides that it pay $17.50 a year for each kilowatt of power. The Aluminum company's TVA contract for electricity supplied its Tennessee plant provides for a $24 annual rate for each kilowatt of "firm power."

[A kilowatt—1,000 watts—delivered for a unit of time is the measurement by which electricity is sold. A kilowatt [equivalent to about 1 1-3 horsepower] is the force that will lift 44,244 pounds one foot in one minute.]

Firm Power is Defined.

[Firm power is electrical energy that remains constant and unvarying 24 hours a day. It is the power that the generating organization promises will always be available for use by the customer. Under a contract providing a stated rate for firm power the most economic use is when the power is most steadily used; 24 hours a day would be the ideal. Under such a contract the power must be paid for whether used or not. Aluminum's contract with the TVA provides for "run-of-stream" and "dump" power at cheaper rates than for firm power. Run-of-stream is power produced when there is sufficient water to provide it and dump power is power produced during peak periods for which there is no demand. Dump power being excess power is cheapest.]

Chicago power authorities said the

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BEGIN WORK SOON ON CHICAGO GAS MASK FACTORY

Work will be started within a few days on a big plant for the manufacture of gas masks for the government, by Johnson & Johnson, maker of surgical goods. According to officials of the Clearing Industrial district, where the building will be located, the new industry will be housed in a one story brick factory building, containing 56,000 square feet of floor space.

It will occupy a site opposite the present Johnson & Johnson plant at 4950 West 66th street, and will extend thru to 67th street. There is room adjoining the new unit on the west for an ultimate expansion to 160,000 square feet. Figures on the cost of the plant were not available yesterday.

Clearing officials said the plant will be in operation in about three months. It was designed by John S. Cromelin, architect for the industrial district.

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Stocks, Bonds

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS

Tuesday, December 26, 1939.
Shares sold today..... 724,070
Year ago..... 1,236,280

Tuesday, December 26, 1939.
Total sales 1939 to date..... 257,997,463
Total sales 1938 to date..... 291,884,819

New York Stocks.

New York, Dec. 26 (AP).—A somewhat pale and languid stock market displayed stumbling propensities today when operations were resumed after the Christmas celebration.

A few aircrafts and specialties commanded moderate buying attention for gains of fractions to around 2 points, but pivotal issues generally finished with losses of small amounts.

The news, on the whole, was neither especially inspiring nor depressing. A dribble of year-end tax adjustments again acted as an offset to reinvestment purchasing.

American Air Lines tilted forward as the company reported another new traffic record in the first 11 months of this year. Talk of larger orders for fast fighting planes from the British and French aided United Aircraft. Glenn Martin, Sperry and Consolidated Aircraft to keep small advances.

American and Foreign Power preferred stocks bounced up 1⅞ to 1¾ points following announcement that the Securities and Exchange commission had given the corporation wide exemptions under the utility holding company act.

Modest gains were retained by American Telephone, General Motors, International Mercantile Marine, Canada Dry, South Porto Rico Sugar and Montgomery Ward.

Lower were United States Steel, Bethlehem, Chrysler, Anaconda, International Harvester, Santa Fe, New York Central, Westinghouse, United States Rubber, General Electric, Johns-Manville, Loew's, Standard Oil of New Jersey, and International Nickel.

New York Bonds.

New York, Dec. 26 (AP).—Under the leadership of Australian and Norwegian issues, the foreign list virtually alone displayed strength in an irregular bond market today. Australia 4½s climbed 2⅞ points and Brisbane 6s and Norway 4½s gained a point each. Latin Americans generally were fractionally lower.

United States governments were at slightly higher levels. American and Foreign Power 5s rose 1⅞ following announcement of the company's exemption by the S. E. C. from provisions of the public utility holding company act.

Among corporate issues, advances of a point or more were made by Cleveland Union Terminal 5s, International Mercantile Marine 6s, Louisville and Nashville 5s, Penn-Dixie Cement 6s, and Utility Power and Light 5s.

Central Railroad of New Jersey 5s fell a point following an adverse court decision affecting back tax payments.

Chicago Stocks.

Declines slightly outnumbered advances in trading on the Chicago Stock exchange yesterday. Of the 102 issues traded, 38 declined, 33 moved higher, and 31 closed unchanged. Sales totaled 28,000 shares.

Chicago corporation was the volume leader, closing at 1⅜, up ¼. Commonwealth Edison also gained ¼, finishing at 31⅝. Central Illinois Securities common was unchanged.

National Standard reached a new high of 27, up 1¾. Chicago and North Western common made one of its infrequent appearances, selling at 4-16. Swift & Co., and Marshall Field declined fractions. Cities Service advanced a fraction.

Bank Stocks.

One issue declined while another advanced in bank stock trading yesterday, altho most stocks were steady. City National dropped one point to 113 bid, and Northern Trust was up two points to 572.

CHICAGO.
[Nominal Quotations.]

	Yesterday. Bid.	Ask.	Dec. 23. Bid.	Ask.
American National	212	220	212	218
Chicago Title	119	122	119	122
City National	113	116	114	117
Continental Illinois	94	96	94	96
First National	225	229	225	229
Harris Trust	310	316	310	315
Northern Trust	572	578	570	580

NEW YORK.

Bankers Trust	58⅜	60⅜	58½	60½
Bank of Manhattan	16½	18	16⅜	18¼
Central Hanover	100½	103½	100	103
Chase	35¼	37¼	35¼	37¼
Chemical	48⅝	50⅝	48¼	50½
First National	1,875	1,915	1,880	1,920
Guaranty	282	287	280	285
Irving	13	13⅜	13⅜	13⅝
Manufacturers Trust	37	39	37½	39½
National City	28	29½	27⅝	29¼
New York Trust	100½	112½	109¼	112½

OTHER BANKS.

Bank of America	33⅜	35⅝	33⅜	35⅝
First Nat'l Boston	45½	47½	45¼	47½

WHAT STOCKS DID

[Tuesday, Dec. 26, 1939.]

NEW YORK STOCKS.

TRIBUNE AVERAGES.

	25 indust.	25 rails.	50 stks.
High	104.24	23.67	108.95
Low	103.19	23.35	108.27
Close	103.50	23.45	108.47
Net change	—0.27	—0.29	—0.24

ASSOCIATED PRESS AVERAGES.

	30 indust.	15 rails.	15 util.	60 stks.
Net change	—0.3	—0.2	....	—0.2
Tuesday	72.4	19.5	35.3	50.7
Prev. day	72.7	19.8	39.1	50.9
Month ago	72.0	20.9	39.6	51.0
Year ago	74.8	22.0	34.8	51.4
1939 high	77.0	23.8	40.6	53.9
1939 low	58.8	15.7	33.7	41.6
1938 high	79.5	23.5	37.8	54.7
1938 low	49.2	12.1	24.9	33.7
1933 low	17.5	8.7	23.9	16.9
1929 high	146.9	153.9	184.3	157.7
1927 low	81.6	95.3	61.8	61.8

DOW-JONES AVERAGES.

	30 indus.	20 rails.	15 util.	65 stks.
Opening	149.77	31.58	24.91	50.26
11 a. m.	149.74	31.61	24.91	50.26
12 noon	149.52	31.50	24.88	50.17
1 p. m.	149.38	31.48	24.88	50.18
2 p. m.	149.49	31.43	24.89	50.14
High	150.11	31.65	25.05	50.39
Low	148.83	31.36	24.76	49.91
Close	149.27	31.37	24.91	50.08
Net chge.	—0.58	—0.21	....	—0.19

TRADING FIGURES.

	Tues.	Sat.
Advances	199	241
Declines	383	187
Unchanged	234	194
Total issues	816	622
New 1939 highs	5	5
New 1939 lows	4	1
Share volume	724,070	331,672

CHICAGO STOCKS.

TRADING FIGURES.	Tues.	Sat.
Advances	33	28
Declines	38	11
Unchanged	31	19
Total issues	102	58
Share volume	28,000	15,000

NAVAL STORES.

SAVANNAH, Dec. 26 (AP).—TURPENTINE—Firm, 27½c per gal; offerings, 64 casks, all sold; receipts, 40; shipments, 7; stock, 26,146. ROSIN—Firm; offerings, 50 lots of 280 lbs. all sold; receipts, 858; shipments, 5811; stock, 225,806. Quote: B, $4.00; D, $4.10; E, $4.82½; F, $4.90; G, $5.10; H, $5.27½; I, $5.35; K, $5.45; M, N, $5.55; WG, $5.65; WW, X, $6.20.

[The figure in brackets after name of stock is annual dividend rate.]

—1939— High.	Low.	Description, div. rate, $=	Sales in 100s.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net chge.
A								
11⅛	6⅛	Adams Exp [.25g]	9	8	8⅛	8	8⅛	....
68	45¼	Air Reduction [1a]	9	54⅜	54⅜	54¼	54⅜	....
1¼	⅜	Air-Way El Appl..	2	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	— ⅛
10	6½	Alaska-Jun [.80g]	11	6⅝	6⅝	6½	6½	— ⅛
2	⅜	Allegheny Corp....	7	⅜	1	⅜	1	....
18	4½	Do pfd xw	6	10¼	10¼	10¼	10¼	— ⅛
20½	5⅜	Do pfd $30 ww..	1	13¼	13¼	13¼	13¼	....
18¼	4½	Do pfd $40 ww..	2	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝	10½	— ⅛
28¼	14	All-Lud Stl [.50g]	12	21⅝	21⅝	21¼	21⅜	— ⅛
11⅞	6⅜	Allen Industr [1g]	1	9¼	9¼	9¼	9¼	— ⅛
200½	151⅛	Al Ch & Dye [6a]	4	176½	176½	175	175	— 1
14⅞	10	Allied Kid [.50]..	1	12	12	12	12	— ⅛
15⅝	9⅛	Allied Mills [1g]..	5	13⅜	13⅜	13⅛	13¼	— ⅛
11⅜	6	Allied Strs.....	10	9	9	8⅞	8⅞	— ⅛
48⅜	28	Allis-Ch Mfg [1a]..	11	39¼	39½	39	39⅛	— ⅛
3⅞	1¼	Amal Leather.....	29	2¼	2⅜	2	2	— ⅛
21	12	Do pfd.....	1	15	15	15	15	....
74½	50	Amerada Corp [2]	7	54¼	54¼	54	54	— ⅛
24¼	16	Am A C P [1.50g]	3	21½	21½	21	21¼	....
43⅜	16⅝	Am Airlines.....	25	41¼	43½	41¼	43	+ 1⅜
17⅞	9⅜	Am Bank Note....	1	10½	10½	10½	10½	— ⅛
60	46½	†Do pfd [3].....0.20		49	49	49	49	+ ⅛
8	3⅛	Am Bosch.....	1	6	6	6	6	+ ⅛
57⅞	31⅛	Am Brake [4a]..	4	45½	46¼	45¾	46	+ ⅜
116⅜	83¼	Am Can [4].....	5	112⅜	113	112⅜	113	....
40¼	16¼	Am Car & Fdy....	2	31	31	31	31	— ⅛
64	30¼	Do pfd.....	3	48	48	48	48	+ ⅛
25⅝	13½	Am Ch & Ca [1g]	11	23¾	23⅞	23½	23⅝	....
8⅝	5	Am Chicle.....	1	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	— ⅛
11⅞	5½	Am Coml Alco....	3	7	7	6⅞	6⅞	— ⅛
18¾	6¼	Am Crystal Sug....	4	12⅜	12⅜	12¼	12¼	....
30½	12¾	Do $7 pfd.....	18	23½	23¾	23¼	23⅜	— 1⅜
9⅜	5	Do 2d pfd.....	7	6⅜	6⅜	6⅛	6⅜	+ ⅛
33	12	Am-Hawaii SS [1a]	4	27¼	27⅜	27¼	27⅜	....
8	2⅜	Am Hide & Leather	1	6	6	6	6	....
43½	25⅝	Do pfd [1.50].....	2	31¾	34¼	34¼	34¾	....
59½	41⅜	Am H Pr [2.40a]	1	57½	57½	57½	57½	....
3¼	1⅜	Am Ice.....	3	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	....
9	3⅜	Am International..	4	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜	— ⅛
30¾	13	Am Locomotive....	8	21½	21½	20¾	20⅞	....
15⅜	11	Am M & Fdy [.80]	3	14⅜	14⅜	14¼	14¼	— ⅛
40¼	22⅜	Am Metal [1].....	4	23	23	22⅝	22⅝	— ⅛
26	21½	†AmNews [1.50g].1.20		23⅜	24	23⅜	24	....
7	3⅝	Am Pow & Lt....	58	4⅛	4⅛	4	4	— ⅛
58½	32	Do $6 pf [4.80k]	10	57⅜	57½	57	57	+ ⅛
49	28	Do $5 pfd [4k]..	2	47¾	47¾	46⅝	46⅝	— ⅜
18⅜	8½	Am R&S S [.30g].148		9¼	9⅜	9⅛	9⅛	— ⅛
22⅜	11⅞	Am Roll Mill.....	20	16½	16⅝	16¼	16⅛	— ⅛
15⅜	10⅜	Am Saf Raz [1.20]	5	11	11	10⅜	11	+ ⅛
22	9	Am Seating [.50g]	2	10½	10½	10	10	+ ⅛
46¼	25½	†Am Sm [1.20g]..1.90		31⅞	31⅞	31	31⅞	+ ⅛
63	35½	Am Sm & R [2a]..	16	51¼	51⅜	50½	50½	— ⅜
144	127½	Do pfd [7].....	2	141	141	140½	140½	— 2⅛
41	20⅛	Am Stl Fdrs.....	23	33¼	33¼	32	32¼	— 1¼
24½	15¼	Am Sugar Ref....	3	20¾	20¾	20	20	— ⅛
98	75⅝	Do pfd [7].....	1	80	80	80	80	....
18½	13⅞	Am Sum Tob [1]..	4	15	15	14⅝	14⅝	....
171¾	148	Am Tel & Tel [9]	19	170¾	170½	170	170⅝	+ ⅝
87½	73	Am Tobacco [5]..	3	83½	84	83½	84	+ ⅛
89⅜	75¼	Do B [5].....	30	89	89	88¾	89	+ ⅛
153¾	132	Do pfd [6].....	4	148⅝	149	148⅝	149	+ ⅛
8⅝	4⅛	Am Type Fdrs.....	11	5	5	4⅞	5	— ⅛
14⅝	8⅛	Am Wat Wks.....	23	11⅝	11⅜	11¼	11½	— ⅛
15¼	3⅝	Am Woolen.....	8	9⅛	9¼	8⅜	8⅝	— ⅛
64¾	28⅝	Do pfd.....	2	46⅝	46⅝	46	46	— 1⅛
12	4	Am Zinc L & S....	2	6⅛	6⅜	6⅛	6⅞	....
40	20⅜	Anaconda [1.25g].	44	30⅝	30⅝	30¼	30½	— ⅛
27⅜	13½	Anchor HkG[.70g]	7	20¼	20¼	20¼	20¼	— ⅛
114⅝	111	†Do pfd [6.50].0.50		113⅜	113⅜	113¼	113¼	....
3⅜	1⅛	A P W Paper.....	1	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	+ ⅛
37	21	Arch-Dan-M [1.10g]	2	32⅝	32⅝	32⅝	32⅝	....
106	97	Armour Del pfd[7]	4	105	106	105	106	+ 1½
8⅝	3⅝	Arm Ill	8	5½	5⅝	5½	5⅝	+ ⅛
60	33⅝	Do pr pfd.....	1	46	46	46	46	....
58	31⅞	Armstrong Crk [2g]	17	37¼	37¾	36⅝	36⅝	— ⅛
13	7½	Arnold Const[.75g]	6	10⅜	11	10⅜	11	+ ⅛
10½	5⅝	Artloom Corp.....	1	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	— ⅛
11⅝	5⅝	Assd Dry Goods....	11	6⅝	6⅝	6¼	6¼	— ⅛
42¾	21	Atch T & S F....	41	24⅜	24⅜	24	24	— ⅛
71	50	Do pfd [5].....	12	55⅝	53⅜	52½	52½	— ⅜
30½	15	Atl Coast Line....	12	22⅜	22⅜	22⅛	22⅛	— ⅛
26⅝	5¾	Atl G & W Indies	1	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜	15¾	+ 1
24½	18¼	Atl Refining [1]..	8	21	21	20⅞	21	+ ⅛
110½	104½	Do pfd [4].....	1	109	109	109	109	+ 2
9¾	7	Atlas Corp [.50g]	27	8¼	8¼	8¼	8¼	+ ⅛
48⅝	43⅜	Do pfd [3].....	2	46⅜	46⅜	46¼	46½	+ ⅛
127	116	†AtlasPow pfd[5].0.20		123¾	123¾	123¾	123¾	+ ⅜
6⅜	1½	Auburn Auto.....	1	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾	....
30½	16	†Aust Nich pr a..0.20		17	17	16⅜	16⅜	....
9⅝	3½	Aviation Corp	7	7	7	6⅞	6⅞	— ⅛
B								
21¼	9⅛	Bald Loco ct.....	9	17¼	17¼	17¼	17⅛	— ⅛
8⅜	3⅝	Balt & Ohio.....	20	5⅜	5⅝	5½	5½	— ⅛
11¼	4⅜	Do pfd.....	1	7	7	7	7	— ⅛
30½	11⅛	Bangor&Aro [.72g]	1	13¾	13¾	13⅜	13⅜	....
87½	49	†Do pfd [5].....0.70		51⅜	51⅜	51½	51⅜	— ⅛
21½	10⅜	Barber Asph [.25g]	3	14¼	14¼	14¼	14¼	— ⅛
33	23⅝	†Barker pfd[2.75].0.60		27¾	27¾	26½	26½	+ 1⅛
19½	11⅜	BarnsdaysOil[.90g]	14	12	12	12	12¼	— ⅛
20⅜	15⅝	Barnk Cigar [1.75a]	1	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝	....
33⅜	16⅜	Bendix Avi[1.50g]	10	30¾	30¾	30	30¼	— ⅜
22½	17⅝	Benef IndL[1.85g]	8	21¼	21¾	20⅝	20⅝	— ⅜
56	48⅜	Do pr pfd [2.50]	1	56	56	56	56	....
57½	32	Best & Co [1.60a]	3	38⅜	38½	37½	37½	— ⅜
100	80½	Beth Steel [1.50g]	28	94⅜	95	93⅝	94⅛	— ⅜
120¼	99¼	Do 7% pfd [7]..	1	114¼	114¼	114¼	114¼	+ ⅜
32¾	15⅞	Bigelow-Sanf [1g]	2	27⅜	28	27⅜	27	....
24¼	14	Black & Decker[1]	5	19¼	20	19¼	20	+ ⅛
17⅞	8¼	Blaw-Knox.....	9	10⅜	10⅝	10⅛	10⅜	....
23½	13½	†Bloomgdle[.75].0.10		14	14	14	14	....
34¾	16⅜	Boeing Airplane ..	14	22¼	22¼	21⅞	21⅞	— ⅜
28½	16	Bohn Al&Brass [1]	1	22¼	22¼	22¼	22¼	+ ¼
60⅜	51	†BonAmib[2.50a].0.20		60⅜	60⅜	60⅜	60⅜	+ ¼
24	12½	Bond Stra [1.60a]	1	22⅜	22⅜	22⅜	22¾	+ ⅛
22	16½	Borden Co [1.40g]	30	21½	21⅝	21⅜	21⅝	+ ⅛
32	18⅜	Borg-Warner [1a]	10	25	25	24⅝	24⅝	....
4⅞	1½	Boston & Maine....	1	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼	....
34⅜	19½	Bower Roll Br [2]	3	32⅜	32⅜	32¼	32½	— ⅛
7⅞	5	Brew Cp Am[.60]	5	6	6	5⅞	5⅞	— ⅛
15⅞	7⅜	Bridgeport Brass	5	11⅜	11⅜	11¼	11¼	+ ⅛
31⅞	16¼	Briggs Mfg [1.25g]	14	21¼	21¼	21⅛	21⅛	+ ⅛
41	31	Briggs & Strat [3]	1	36	36	36	36	....
53	41⅝	Bristol-Meyers[2.40]	1	52	52	52	52	....
2	1⅛	Bklyn & Qu Trans	5	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼	....
15½	7⅜	Bklyn-Man Tr	14	14	14	14	13⅝	— ⅜
50⅞	27	Do pfd	4	48⅛	48½	48¼	48⅝	+ ⅛
50	39	Do pfd ct	18	48	48¼	48	48	+ 1¼
30½	13⅝	Bklyn Un Gas [.60]	6	22⅜	22⅜	22¼	22⅜	— ⅛
25½	9⅝	Brnswk-Blk[2.75g]	1	21⅝	21⅝	21⅝	21⅝	— ⅛
13¼	7	Bucyrus-Erie[.50g]	3	9⅜	9⅜	9½	9½	....
8	4	Budd Mfg	9	5¼	5⅝	5¼	5⅜	+ ⅛
55½	29½	†Budd Mfg pfd....0.10		41	41	41	41	— 1
6¾	3	Bulova Watch [2a]	1	6¼	6¼	6¼	6⅜	+ ⅛
30	15⅛	Bullard Co [.25e]..	1	23	23	23	23	....
34½	21½	Bulova Watch [2a]	1	30¼	30¼	30¼	30¼	....
19⅜	11½	Burling Mills [1a].	5	18⅜	18⅜	18⅜	18⅜	....
18⅜	11	BurrAddMch [.40]	37	11¼	11¼	11¼	11⅜	— ⅛
7¾	1	Bush Terminal....	3	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	— ⅛
20	6½	†BushT Bld pfd ct.0.10		11¼	11¼	11¼	11¼	— ⅛
9⅛	5¾	Butler Bros [.30g].	4	7¼	7¼	7	7	....
23⅜	18⅜	Do pfd [1.50].....	3	20¼	20¼	20¼	20¼	— ⅛
5⅜	2⅜	Butte Cop & Zinc..	2	3	3	3	3	....
16⅝	7	Byers A M Co.....	1	13	13	13	13	....
84½	25⅞	†Do pf [12.57k].0.50		76	76	76	76	— 1
17⅞	11¼	Byron Jackson [1].	2	15¼	15¼	15¼	15¼	— ⅛
C								
30	13⅞	Calif Packing.....	5	21⅜	21⅜	21⅜	21⅜	....
3¼	⅝	Callahan Z-Lead....	7	1½	1½	1½	1½	....
10⅝	4⅜	Calum & Hec [.50g]	3	7	7	6⅝	6⅝	....
17⅜	9½	Campbl Wy [.60g]	6	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝	....
20⅜	12	CanDryGAle [.50g]	32	17¼	17⅞	17¼	17⅝	+ ⅛
6¼	3¼	Canadian Pacific...	49	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	+ ⅛
41½	20½	Cann Mills [2.25g]	8	38⅜	38⅜	37⅞	38⅛	— ⅛
4	2⅛	Carr & Gen [.15g]	1	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	+ ⅛
94½	63½	Case J I Co.....	1	70½	70½	70½	70½	+ ⅜
122¼	110	†Do pfd [7].....0.30		117¼	117¼	117¼	117¼	....
64¾	38⅝	Caterp Tractor [2]	11	55½	55½	54⅜	54⅜	— ⅜
30¼	13⅝	Celanese [.80a]....	1	30	30	29½	29½	— ⅛
109⅝	84	†Do pr pfd [7].1.10		108½	108½	108½	108½	— ⅛
19¼	7⅞	Celotex Corp.....	1	10	10	10	10	....
72⅜	58	†Do pfd [5].....0.20		62¼	62½	62½	62½	+ 1
20⅜	14½	CenLaGuirre [1.50]	2	24½	24½	24½	24½	....
5¼	3⅜	Cent Foundry.....	1	3	3	3	3	....
12¼	3⅜	Cent R R N J.....	4	4¼	4¾	4¼	4⅜	— ⅛
14⅜	3½	CentViolSug [.25g]	2	10	10	10	10	+ 1¼
52⅜	32	Cerro de Pas [4]..	14	37⅜	37¾	36⅝	37	— ⅜
13	5¼	Certain-teed Prod..	3	6⅜	6⅜	6¼	6¼	— ⅛
17⅞	7½	Arnold Const[.75e]	6	10⅜	11	10⅜	11	+ ⅛
52⅜	32	Armstrong Crk[2g]	17	37¼	37¾	36⅝	36⅝	— ⅛
13	7½	Arnold Const[.75e]	6	10⅜	11	10⅜	11	+ ⅛

—1939— High.	Low.	Description, div. rate, $=	Sales in 100s.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net chge.
13	6⅜	Crosley Corp	4	7¼	7¼	7¼	7¼	....
41½	20¼	Crown Cork & S. [4]	25	25⅝	26	25½	26	....
40¼	33	†Do p xw[2.25].0.80		38	38	37⅜	37¾	+ ⅜
17⅝	9	Crown Zell [.50g]	17	17⅜	17½	17	17¼	— ⅛
52⅜	24½	Crucible Steel	1	41	41	41	41	— ⅛
8½	2⅞	†Cuba R R pfd..0.20		4	4	4	4	— ⅛
13	3	Cub-Am Sugar....	17	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾	+ ⅛
93	48	†Do pfd [4k].0.30		78	78	78	78	+ 1
19½	9	Cudahy Pack	3	13½	13½	13½	13½	....
28¼	26½	Cuneo Press	2	27	27	26⅝	26⅝	— ⅛
7¾	3½	Curtis Publishg ..	6	4	4	4	4	— ⅛
63½	38	Do pf [3.375k]	3	44¼	44½	44½	44½	+ 1
13¼	4¼	Curtiss-Wright	109	10¼	10¾	10¼	10⅝	+ ⅛
32½	19¼	Do A [2g].....	19	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	....
25	13⅜	Cutler-Ham [.75g]	2	20¼	20¼	20¼	20¼	— ⅛
D								
112⅝	103	†DayP&L pf[4.50]0.10		111¾	111¾	111¾	111¾	— ⅜
25½	15¾	Deere & Co [.75g]	10	23½	23½	23½	23⅝	— ⅛
18¾	11¼	Deisel-W-G [1a]..	2	15½	16	15½	16	+ ⅛
28	12¾	Del & Hudson	4	23⅜	23⅜	22⅝	22⅝	— ⅛
8⅞	3⅜	Del L & West.....	17	5¼	5¼	5¼	5¼	....
125½	103	Det Edison [6g].	4	120	121½	120	121½	....
32⅜	18	†Dev&R A [.25g]2.50		21¾	21½	21¼	21½	+ ⅛
34½	22	Dix Match [1.50]	3	33	33	33	33	....
20¼	13⅜	Distill Corp-S [2]	10	19	19½	19	19	— ⅛
35¼	30	†Dix-V A [2.50].0.20		34	34	34	34	....
22¾	10	Doehler Die Cas..	5	17⅜	17⅜	17⅜	17¾	+ ⅛
34	20¼	Dome Mines [1]....	1	33	33¼	33	33¼	— ⅛
87⅜	55	Douglas Air [3g]	20	81¼	82	81¼	81¾	....
143½	101⅛	Dow Chem [3]..	3	138	138	138	138	— 2
17	6	Dresser Mfg [.75g]	2	15⅜	16	15⅜	16	....
19¼	6¼	Dunhill Int	1	6¼	6¼	6¼	6¼	....
188½	126½	Du P de N [7].....	31	170	179½	170	179¾	+ ⅝
132	126½	Do deb [6].....	2	126*	126*	126*	126*	....
		[*Denotes 7-32nds.]						
124⅛	112	Do pfd [4.50]..	5	122	122	122	122	....
E								
30¼	12¼	Eastern Air L.....	12	29⅞	30	29½	29¾	— ⅝
8⅝	3⅜	Eastern Roll Mill.	1	6½	6½	6½	6½	....
186⅜	136⅛	EastmanKodak [6]	3	166⅜	166⅜	166⅛	166⅜	— ⅝
30⅝	15⅛	Eaton Mfg [2.50g]	5	29½	29⅝	29⅜	29⅝	— ⅛
3⅜	1	Eitingon Schild	1	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼	....
3¼	1¼	El & Mus Ind.....	1	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼	....
40⅝	22⅜	El AutoLite [3g]..	15	37⅜	37⅝	36⅞	37⅜	....
18⅝	8⅜	Elec Boat [.60g]	12	15½	15½	15¼	15¼	— ⅛
12⅜	6¼	El Power & Lt....	14	6⅞	6⅞	6⅝	6⅞	....
38	18⅝	Do $6 pfd	4	26¼	26½	26¼	26½	+ ⅛
41⅝	20½	Do $7 pfd.....	8	31¼	31¼	30½	31	....
35	23½	El Storage Bat ..	5	28⅛	28⅛	28	28	— ⅝
42⅝	23	ElPaso NatGas

Commodities

tic sugar futures rallied as 0.10 cent a pound from early yesterday when President announced restoration of marketing quotas. The con- moved lower again, however, was learned that the quotas be effective until Jan. 1. prices were 0.02 to 0.04 cent below Friday's final quota-

Futures, moving in sympathy mestic futures, closed 0.01 to nt a pound lower. Traders quotas would probably be ough to preclude any sharp in prices.

tures shot up the permissible 15 cents a pound and closed op. Cash raw silk sold at pound, a gain of 23½ cents day's close.

futures closed 0.05 cent a wer to 0.10 cent higher in ding. Mills and foreigners derate buyers of deferred fu- hile January contracts were er liquidation.

otton was unsettled with k at 11.29 cents; New Or- .21 cents; Galveston, 10.71 d Houston, 10.70 cents a

ar price movements were in other commodities. Tin, offee, cottonseed oil, rubber, s all finished on both sides 's final quotations. Widest ns were in tin, which closed a pound higher to 1 cent Rio coffee, wool tops, and ed slightly lower, while lead dvanced. Copper closed ir-

TURES SUMMARY.

Chicago.

	Closing prices			*Season's ranges.
	Dec. 26.	Dec. 23.	High.	Low.
	$1.03⅜	$1.02¾	$1.09¾	$0.63½
	.58⅝	.57¼	.63½	.42
	.38⅝	.38⅜	.40	.27¼
	.77½	.73⅝	.77¾	.43¾
u	1.23	1.19	1.31½	.67
	.0702	.0707	.0870	.0552
	.1057	.1049	.1092	.0828
	.2725	.2715	.2830	.2660
	.1415	.1375	.1825	.1330

New York.

	$0.0583	$0.0583	$0.0690	$0.0429
	.0754	.0721	.0794	.0665
	.0621	.0622	.0684	.0537
	.0199	.0203	.0300	.0171
	.1885	.1885	.2185	.1620
	.1532	.1536	.1667	.1050
	4.35¼	4.20½	4.35¼	2.75½
	.1110	.1115	.1260	.0805
	.0541	.0541	.0594	.0532
	.4675	.4775	.5400	.4450
	.9960	.9980	1.194	.78

ding in the contract started. All ed are for May delivery except February, eggs for January, hides d tin for March.

W YORK FUTURES.

closing prices in cents per pound less otherwise stated.]

Cocoa.

hanged to 0.01 cent lower. Jan- March, 5.74; May, 5.83; Septem- cember, 6.11. Sales, 166 lots.

Coffee.

—Closed 0.02 cent lower. March, .20; July, 4.24; September, 4.27.

ed 0.01 cent lower. March, .23; July, 6.25; September, 6.28, bags.

Cottonseed Oil.

cent higher to 0.01 cent lower, : March, 7.12; May, 7.24; July, 83 lots.

Hides.

to 0.08 cent lower. March, 15.32; September, 15.75; Decem- Sales, 12 lots.

Rubber.

anged to 0.06 cent higher. De- 0; March, 19.13; May, 18.85;

Silk.

s. 1—Closed 15 cents higher. 37½; February, $4.36; March, 1; $4.36; May, $4.35½; June, $4.30. Sales, 90 lots. Contract 15 cents higher. January thru May thru July, $4.12. No sales.

Sugar.

o. 3 [domestic]—Closed .02 to .03 January, 1.85; March, 1.95; July, 2.02; September, 2.05. tons.

o. 4 [world]—Closed .01 to .025 March, 1.575; May, 1.575; July, ember, 1.585.

Wool Tops.

.5 cent lower. March, $1.03;

Metals.

ed .04 cent higher to .07 cent ber, 11.39; March, 11.22; May, 11.03; September, 10.95. Sales,

d unchanged to .02 cent higher. 32; March, 5.38; May, 5.41; eptember, 5.48. Sales, 4 lots. d]—Closed .50 cent higher to 1 ecember, 50.00; January 49.50; 25; March, 46.75; May, 46.40; Sales, 2 lots.

unchanged. December, 5.45; May, 5.53; July, 5.55. No sales.

CAGO FUTURES.

OF TRADE.

Lard.

[Per 100 pounds.]

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
	$6.27	$6.27	$6.27	$6.27	$6.23
	6.35	6.35	6.35	6.35	6.32
	6.85	6.90	6.82	6.90	6.92
	7.00	7.10	6.97	7.05	7.07
	7.17	7.25	7.15	7.20	7.25
	7.35	7.37	7.30	7.35	7.40

Clear Bellies.

	6.95	6.95	6.95	6.95
	7.42	7.42	7.42	7.42
	7.75	7.75	7.75	7.75
	7.90	7.90	7.90	7.90

MERCANTILE EXCHANGE.

Butter.

Cents per pound.]

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
	27.35	27.35	27.25	27.25	27.35
	27.75	27.75	27.75	27.00	27.00
	27.25	27.25	27.05	27.25	27.15

Eggs.

Cents per dozen.]

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
	14.30	13.85	14.30	13.75	
	14.50	13.80	14.15	13.75	
	17.50	17.50	17.50	17.20	
	.....	.....	16.50	16.50	

ts.

ASH PRICES.

[Wholesale.]

Chicago.

	Dec. 26.	Dec. 23.
92 score	$ 20¼	$ 20¼
t	11.25	11.50
b	.06½	.06
lb	.57¾	.57½
se	.20	.20
cker, lb	.1450	.1450
	6.00	6.00
	.0632	.0633
	.0587	.06
	.0580	.0580
ite, bu	.41¼	.41¼
on	17.25	17.25
hard, bu	1.06¼	1.05½

e Chicago and Pittsburgh.

New York.

[Price per pound.]

	.1425 $	.1400
io	.05¼	*.05¾
toe	.06¾	.0750
tic	.1250	.1250
	.1260	.1260
land	.1129	.1115
mocked rib	.3080	*.2975
s extr	4.35	*4.14½
dutty paid	.0333	*.0333
	.0470	*.0470
	.5025	.5050
ops	1.165	*1.165

Other Markets.

ibri, Mpls	$ 5.55	$ 5.53
Louis	.0536	.0535
Louis	.06	.06

MODITY INDEX.

ed Press weighted wholesale 35 commodities:

	Mo. ago.	Yr. ago.
day. Wk. ago.	72.75	67.15
ast years:		
Dec. 1938.	1937.	'23-'26.
73.29	98.14	99.22
73.86	73.85	41.44
average equals 100.]		
commodity futures index up 0.54.		

REVERSE SUGAR POLICY; RESTORE MARKET QUOTAS

Growers May Be Forced to Restrict Crops.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26.—The administration today reversed itself on the 1940 sugar crop by restoring marketing quotas and acreage restriction.

Disturbance in the sugar cane areas was foreseen here because most of the 1940 cane has been planted in Louisiana and Florida and compliance with the administration's program will probably call for ploughing under of a considerable portion of the crop.

President Roosevelt issued a proclamation restoring the sugar marketing quotas, which he had suspended last Sept. 11 because of a housewives' run on sugar following the outbreak of war in Europe. Secretary of Agriculture Wallace followed up this proclamation by announcing that immediate steps would be taken to initiate the 1940 sugar program in all domestic areas.

Wallace Statement Recalled.

Last Sept. 29 Wallace has said that "in view of the suspension of quotas, no program or payments under the provisions of title III. of the sugar act are in effect or contemplated at this time for the 1940 crop in any producing area." Relying upon this removal of planting restrictions, planters in Louisiana are reported to have stepped up their acreage at least 10 per cent over the 1939 crop.

Wallace said today that conditional payments to growers for the 1940 crop will be dependent on the appropriation of necessary funds by congress.

The first step will be to estimate consumers' needs for 1940. This will determine the pro rata marketing quotas upon which acreage allotments are based. The agriculture department explained that the quotas will become effective Jan. 1.

Quotas May Be Retroactive.

The 1940 quotas have not been fixed and if they are not determined prior to Jan. 1 they will be made retroactive to that date, officials said. Shipments made this year will have no bearing on the quotas. The reduction on the Cuban import duty from $1.50 to 90 cents per 100 pounds, however, will become effective immediately upon publication of the President's proclamation in the federal register, probably Wednesday.

There have been growing demands from domestic planters, who are allowed to provide only about 30 per cent of the nation's sugar needs, for upward revision in their allocation compared with the quotas given territorial or foreign planters. This is fixed by law and only congress can revise the quotas, according to agriculture officials.

Allis-Chalmers to Build

New Tractor in Illinois

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 26 [Special].—A new type of caterpillar tractor which has a top speed of nearly two miles an hour faster than is common to commercial tractors was announced by the Allis-Chalmers company today. It will go into production next month at the company's Springfield, Ill., plant. It is the first of a series of tractors to be powered with General Motors Diesel engines. It has a six cylinder, two-cycle Diesel engine developing 108 horse power and a top speed of seven miles an hour.

Ham Curing Recipe.

THE old Virginia method of curing hams and bacon is being followed again this year at the Du Page county farm. The hams are expected to be even better than usual because the hogs were large and produced a slightly seasoned pork that hams, which ordinarily cure out a better flavor than small ones. Small hams sometimes are a bit too salty when they are taken from the curing mixture.

Various methods of curing meat have been tried at the farm, but the recipe that has been used for generations in the Virginia hill country has proved the most satisfactory. It is a rather long procedure, but one that is easily followed. Here it is, just as it is used each year at the farm:

A mixture of 3 pecks of salt, 1 gallon of brown sirup, 2 pounds of brown sugar, and 1½ pounds of saltpeter to each 1,000 pounds of hams is rubbed on the "meat" side of the hams. Each ham is rubbed with the mixture until no more will stick to the meat.

Packed in Wooden Barrel.

The treated hams then are packed, skin side down, in a heavy wooden barrel free from objectional odors. Syrup barrels generally are used.

Extra barrels are left empty so that when the hams have been in the curing mixture for one week they may be transferred to other barrels. The hams on the top are placed on the bottom.

The sirup mixture that has settled to the bottom of the original barrels is poured on top after the hams are packed a second time. This process is repeated for five successive weeks. Then the hams are ready to smoke.

Before hanging the hams in the smokehouse, the curing mixture is brushed off, not washed. A smoldering fire made of hickory chips and a small amount of slightly seasoned apple tree wood is built under the hams immediately after they are hung. The hams are smoked for three or four weeks.

Pepper Rubbed on Hams.

Then black pepper is rubbed on the hams and each ham is wrapped separately in brown paper and put in a flour sack or similar cloth bag. The bags are tied tight at the top and dipped in thick whitewash. About a week later they are dipped in whitewash a second time to make sure they are thoroly sealed. They are left hanging in the smokehouse until ready for use.

The amount of brown sugar used in this formula may be varied to taste. Some have found that the hams are improved by adding a little more brown sugar than is called for in the recipe.

Bacon is cured in the same kind of mixture and is handled in the same way, except that the meat is changed in the barrels over a period of only three or four weeks instead of five. This is because bacon slabs are thinner than hams and cure quicker.

Business Bits

The law firm of Litsinger, Healy and Reid will be dissolved on Dec. 31, it was announced yesterday. The partners are Edward R. Litsinger, once a Republican candidate for mayor, Daniel M. Healy, and Leonard C. Reid. Litsinger is retiring and his associates will continue to practice under the firm name of Healy and Reid. Attorney Reid is a master in chancery of the Circuit court.

Edward R. Litsinger.

J. M. Otter, former general manager of Philco Distributors, Chicago division, has been appointed general sales manager of the Philco Radio & Television corporation's middle west division. E. A. Orth has become general manager of Philco Distributors' Chicago division.

Earle W. English, chief auditor for the business conduct committee of the Chicago Board of Trade, announces his resignation, effective Jan. 2, to become a general partner in the firm of Fenner and Beane. Matthew F. Raftree will succeed English at the Board of Trade.

Earle W. English.

T. T. Sullivan has resigned as secretary and treasurer of the Stewart-Warner corporation, but will continue as a director. E. H. Farrell, controler of the company, was elected treasurer, and Lynn A. Williams Jr., assistant secretary, was promoted to the position of secretary.

BUSINESS DONE BY CHECK RISES IN MIDDLE WEST

Banks in 41 leading cities in the 7th [Chicago] federal reserve district cashed a larger dollar volume of checks in the week ended Dec. 20 than in the preceding week, the Federal Reserve bank of Chicago reported yesterday.

Debits to individual deposit accounts in the latest week amounted to $1,629,898,000, a gain of 15.3 per cent over the $1,413,102,000 reported for the preceding week, but a decrease of 0.8 per cent compared with the 1938 week's total of $1,642,815,000.

Checks cashed by Chicago banks declined to $991,388,000, from $1,089,-961,000 in the 1938 week.

DIVIDENDS DECLARED

Dividend payments announced yesterday, with stock and record dates, follow:

Usual Payments.

Stock, record, period—	Stock of Payable. record.
Boston Edison, $2, q	Feb 1 Jan 10
Gimbel Bros., pfd., $1.50, q	Jan 25 Jan 15
Hershey Chocolate, 75c, q	Feb 15 Jan 25
Do conv pfd, $1, q	Feb 15 Jan 25
[See below for interim payment.]	
Cent Ind G & E, 20c	Dec. 30 Dec. 15
Phila Elec Co pfd, $1.25, q	Feb 1 Jan 10
Reading Co, 25c q	Feb. 8 Jan. 11

Interim Payments.

De Vilbiss, $1	Dec. 27 Dec. 22
Do. 50c	Jan. 15 Dec. 30
[Last payment, $1.25, Nov. 15, 1939.]	
Hershey Choc conv pfd, $1	Feb 15 Jan 25
[Last payment, $1, q, Nov. 15, 1939.]	

Payments on Arrears.

Am Eur Secur pfd, $4.50	Dec. 29 Dec. 26
[Arrears after above, $14.]	
A M Byers, pfd, $1.75, plus	
accrd int of 41⅝	Feb. 1 Jan. 13
[Arrears Nov. 1 1939, $33.25, plus accrd. int. of approx. $4.15625.]	
q—Quarterly.	

MONEY, GOLD, AND SILVER

Arrival at New York City of $9,000,000 of gold was reported unofficially yesterday. Shipments were from Scandinavian countries, Switzerland, India, Egypt and Mexico, with India sending the most.

Trading in foreign exchange was quiet, partly because of holidays in the London, Dutch and Belgian markets. The British pound sterling rose ¼ cent in terms of the American dollar, closing at $3.94¾.

The foreign holiday left the United States treasury as the only buyer of silver, and the price declined ⅝ cent an ounce to 34¾ cents, cancelling last week's gain.

NEW YORK, Dec. 26 (AP).—Bar silver, 34⅜c, off ⅝. Call money: steady; 1 per cent. Prime commercial paper ⅝ per cent. Time loans, steady; 60-90 days, 1¼; 4-6 mos., 1⅛ per cent. Bankers acceptances, unchanged, 60-90 days, ½@⅝ per cent; 4 mos. ⅝@¾ per cent; 5-6 mos., ⅝@¾ per cent. Rediscount rate, N. Y. Reserve bank, 1 per cent.

PARIS, Dec. 26 (AP).—In foreign exchange trading today the final quotation for the United States dollar was unchanged at 43f 80c [2.283 cents to the franc]. The rate compared with the franc at 2.236 cents in New York over the holiday week-end. Exchange on London 176f 62.5c. Three per cent rentes in the Bourse were 74f 10c; 4½s "A" 84f 40c; 4½s 1937, 217f 75c.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

[Quoted in American cents.]

	Dec. 26.	Dec. 23.	Wk. ago.	Yr. ago.
London	394.87½	394.62½	395.00	466.50
Paris	2.23⅝	2.23⅝	2.24	2.63½
Italy	5.05	5.05	5.05	5.26½
Belgium	16.67	16.67½	16.67	16.86
Switzerl'd	22.44	22.44	22.45	22.58
Holland	53.10	53.10	53.16	54.36
Denmark	19.32	19.32	19.33	20.83
Sweden	23.83	23.83	23.83	24.02
Norway	22.73	22.72	22.73	23.44
Germany	*40.23	*40.23	40.23	40.10
†Do	17.50	17.50	17.50	.....
Greece	.73	.73	.73	.86
Rumania	*.73	*.73	.73	.75
Jugo-Slav	*2.35	*2.35	2.33	2.34
Finland	*1.90	*1.90	1.90	2.23
Canada	88.23½	88.50	88.12½	99.00
Argentina	22.75	22.75	22.85	22.90
†Do	29.77	29.77	29.77	.....
Brazil	5.10	5.10	5.10	5.90
Hongkong	24.23	24.70	24.73	29.20
Shanghai	7.85	7.85	7.85	16.75
Japan	23.49	23.49	23.49	27.22
India	30.10	30.10	30.10	34.82
Chile	3.75	3.75	3.75	4.50
Singapore	47.50	47.50	47.50	54.30
Hungary	*17.60	17.60	17.60	19.85
Mexico	*17.28	17.15	17.15	20.75

*Nominal. †Benevolent. ‡Official.

HAY MARKET.

Timothy, light or medium clover mixed, or alfalfa mixed, No. 1, $15.00@16.00; No. 2, $13.00@15.00; No. 3, $8.00@11.00. Choice alfalfa, $20.00@22.00. No. 1 rye straw, $12.00. Receipts—20 cars tame, 1 car rye straw.

CABINET FIGHTS OVER WALLACE'S NEW FARM PLAN

Morgenthau Condemns It as 'Invisible' Tax.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 26 [Special].—The tax policy feud between members of President Roosevelt's official family was intensified today when Secretary of Agriculture Wallace defended his proposed processing tax certificate plan and Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau returned to the fray with figures to back up his opposition to Wallace.

Morgenthau started the battle at a recent meeting of the President's interdepartmental committee on fiscal and monetary policy which considered Wallace's plan to aid farmers thru processing taxes on wheat, cotton, and rice.

Brands It "Invisible" Tax.

Morgenthau opposed the scheme as being another levy on consumers in the form of an "invisible" or indirect tax.

In his statement today, Morgenthau estimated that 63.1 per cent of all American taxes in 1938 were paid by consumers. Using the figures to support his opposition to the certificate scheme, he listed tobacco, gasoline, liquor, real estate, import duties and other levies as consumer taxes.

Wallace, mentioning no names but aiming his statement at Morgenthau and at another critic of his plan—Marriner S. Eccles, governor of the federal reserve system—included this rebuke:

"Many who are against the certificate program believe that producers of cotton and wheat are not entitled to a parity price."

Claims Benefit for All.

Discussing his certificate plan, Wallace said:

"Back of this objection is recognition of the fact, that the maintenance of farm income at a parity level means more jobs for industrial workers, more purchasing power in the hands of consumers, increased business activity, and an improved condition of the federal treasury."

Under the certificate plan, coöperating farmers would receive income certificates from the agriculture department. Processors and others buying crops from these farmers would be required to purchase the income certificates as well. The amount of the certificates would be the difference between the market price of the crop and the "parity" price. Agriculture department officials have said that the certificates would have the same economic effect as a processing tax.

GRAIN IN OTHER MARKETS

February Wheat.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
B A	.66⅞	.69⅜	.66⅝	.69⅜	.66⅞
March Wheat.					
B A	.67¼	.70⅜	.67⅜	.70⅜	.67¾
May Wheat.					
K C	.95½	.97¼	.92	.97⅜	.95⅝
Mpls	.99	1.01⅛	.98½	1.01¼	1.00⅝
*Dul	.90	.93¼	.90	.93¼	.92¼
Wpg	.....	.....	.....	.....	.87⅞
July Wheat.					
K C	.94	.96½	.93⅜	.96⅜	.95½
Mpls	.98½	1.01⅜	.98⅜	1.01⅛	1.00⅜
*Dul	.93	.93	.93	.93	.92¼
September Wheat.					
Mpls	1.00⅜	1.00⅜	1.00⅜	1.00⅜	.99⅛
January Corn.					
B A	.54	54⅞	.54	.54¼	.54
February Corn.					
B A	.55	.55½	.55	.55½	.55
May Corn.					
K C	.54⅝	.56⅝	.54⅝	.56⅜	.55
Mpls	.51¾	.53⅜	.51¾	.53½	.51⅞
July Corn.					
K C	.55	.57	.55	.56⅜	.55¼
Mpls	.52¼	.53⅜	.52¼	.53½	.52⅜
February Oats.					
B A	.23⅜	.23⅜	.23⅜	.23⅜	.23⅜
May Oats.					
B A	.34⅜	.35¼	.34⅜	.35¼	.34⅜
July Oats.					
Mpls	.32⅜	.32⅞	.32⅜	.32⅞	.32⅜
May Rye.					
Mpls	.66½	.71⅛	.66½	.71⅛	.67⅜
Dul	.75⅞	.75⅞	.75⅞	.75⅞	.71⅛
July Rye.					
Mpls	.67	.71¼	.66⅜	.71¼	.67½
May Feed Barley.					
Mpls	.44	.44	.44	.44	.43½
February Flaxseed.					
B A	1.25	1.27¼	1.24½	1.27¼	1.25
March Flaxseed.					
B A	1.25⅞	1.28⅜	1.25¼	1.28⅜	1.25⅞
May Flaxseed.					
Mpls	1.98	2.01¾	1.98	2.01⅛	2.00⅛
Dul	2.01⅛	2.01⅜	2.01⅛	2.01⅜	2.00
July Flaxseed.					
Mpls	1.96½	1.96½	1.96½	1.96½	1.96½
Sept. Flaxseed.					
Mpls	1.87	1.87	1.87	1.87	1.85

*Durum.

FEDERAL POWER PERILS MIDDLE WEST INDUSTRY

'Unfair' Competition Is Condemned.

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Bonneville rate is far less than the Chicago rate for industrial electricity. Chicago's private companies must transport coal from the mines to the generating stations and must pay taxes which federally operated plants are not required to pay. The Bonneville rate for firm power was said to be comparable to the TVA's dump power rate.

Chemical and metallurgical companies, such as Aluminum, which operate electrical furnaces with comparatively few interruptions, make

Map shows the location of Bonneville dam on the Columbia river in Oregon, and Vancouver, Wash., where the Aluminum company will build a new plant to use the cheap, federally subsidized electric power from the dam.

the most economic use of firm power under contracts such as those offered by TVA and Bonneville.

The cost to the Aluminum company on a theoretical 100 per cent load basis would be about 2/10th of one mill per kilowatt hour. [The load basis indicates the time during which the user is drawing power. A 90 per cent load basis would indicate use of the available power 90 per cent of the time; a 50 per cent load basis 12 hours out of 24. A 100 per cent load basis, of course, would not be practical].

Chicago's largest industries operate on an average 40 per cent load basis for which the kilowatt hour cost is about 7.7 mills.

Attract Northern Enterprises.

The low cost of federally produced electricity already has attracted a number of northern enterprises to the TVA area, including, besides Aluminum company, the Monsanto Chemical company, St. Louis; the Electro-Metallurgical company, a subsidiary of the Union Carbide and Carbon corporation, and the Victor Chemical company, Chicago.

"The Illinois Manufacturers' association opposes governmental competition with private enterprise," Hartz said. "Government intrusion into the fields of private business has related not only to the manufacture of electric energy but also to other activities. A recent survey by the association indicates that the government is competing with private business in more than 250 fields.

"Use of Illinois taxpayers' money to construct or subsidize governmental projects which compete with Illinois manufacturers is clearly unfair to the taxpayer, to the workingman, to the employer, and particularly to the man who is out of a job.

Projects "Politically Inspired."

"The politically inspired governmental subsidized power projects in the south and far west will undoubtedly prove injurious to Illinois and the middle west, particularly when the existing handicaps to this area resulting from the Panama canal are taken into consideration.

"The unfair character of the Bonneville dam project is particularly obvious when the $75,000,000 estimated cost of that undertaking to taxpayers is noted. Basing our estimate on the percentage of the total federal tax burden carried by Illinois taxpayers we place the cost to Illinois taxpayers at about $7,000,000."

Dr. Magill criticized the Bonneville, TVA, and other governmental enterprises which he said were being developed at the expenses of taxpayers in general. He added that the American sense of fair dealing opposes the taking of industries from sections of the country where they have been established and locating them in other sections because of government subsidies, direct or otherwise.

"The American Federation of Investors has from the beginning held that public ownership and competition with private enterprise always means ultimate political control," Dr. Magill continued. "Excessive costs and losses sustained by government agencies competing with private enterprises must be paid by all the taxpayers.

Pay Rollers Share in Benefits.

"Any special benefit that may accrue will go to favored interests, including pay rollers, instead of to the nation as a whole."

The Bonneville dam is located in the Columbia river in Oregon, about 40 miles from Portland. The Aluminum company plant at Vancouver, about eight miles north of Portland, will be for the purification of aluminum ore [bauxite] and reduction of the ore to metal by electrolysis. Raver said the rate charged the company guarantees the Bonneville administration about $10,000,000 in revenue over the next twenty years. If the plant is expanded the revenue will be increased, he said.

The company's initial reception of power will be 27,000 kilowatts and this will be increased at the rate of 500 kilowatts per month until the full amount, 32,500 kilowatts, provided for under the contract is being taken. Further purchases will be under additional contracts.

The federal government has a civil suit against the Aluminum company on charges of being a monopoly.

PRIMARY GRAIN MOVEMENT.

Receipts—	Wheat, bu.	Corn, bu.	Oats, bu.
Tuesday	534,000	1,272,000	222,000
Week ago	490,000	956,000	176,000
Year ago	825,000	762,000	303,000
1937	395,000	1,098,000	281,000
Shipments—			
Tuesday	282,000	196,000	135,000
Week ago	371,000	221,000	174,000
Year ago	372,000	265,000	129,000
1937	357,000	837,000	128,000

BUSINESS FAILURES DROP.

Business failures in the United States totaled 200 during the week ended Dec. 21, Dun & Bradstreet reported yesterday. This compared with 209 in the previous week and 229 in the comparable 1938 period.

NEW YORK CURB TRANSACTIONS

Tuesday, December 26, 1939.

Shares sold today.....299,000 Total sales 1939 to date.....44,661,990
Year ago.....350,490 Total sales 1938 to date.....48,226,491

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net chge.
†Aero Sup B	100	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜—	⅛
Ainsworth	300	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝+	⅛
†Air Assoc	200	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	.....
†Air Inv cv pf	100	19½	19½	19½+	½
Ala Gt Sou	50	78¼	78½	78¼	.....
Ala Pw $7 pf	10	100	100	100	.....
Alum Co Am	750	141½	140	140¼+	⅛
Alum Ltd	100	96½	96	96½+	⅛
Am Book	60	43	42	43	½
†Am Box Bd	300	7	7	7 —	⅛
Am Cap pfd	400	21	18¾	21 +	3⅛
Am Centrifu	400	⅞	⅞	⅞+	⅛
†Am CP&LA	100	31¾	31	31	.....
†Am Cit P&LB	500	1¼	1¼	1¼	.....
Am Cyan B	700	33	32½	32½—	⅝
Am & F P war	600	⅛	⅛	⅛	.....
Am Fork & H	100	12⅝	12	12⅛	.....
Am Gas & El	200	37½	37¼	37½+	⅛
Do pfd	800	113⅝	113	113 —	½
†Am Gen	600	3⅝	3¼	3½—	⅛
†Do $2 pfd	25	25½	25½	25½	.....
Am Laun Mch	100	15⅞	15⅝	15⅝	.....
Am Lght & T	400	15½	15⅛	15⅛—	½
†Am Marsc'h	200	⅛	⅛	⅛	.....
Am Meter	100	31	31	31	.....
†Am Republic	1,300	7⅞	7⅝	7⅞+	⅛
Am Superpow	9,800	⅞	⅞	⅞	.....
Do pfd	400	14	13⅜	14 —	⅜
Appal El P pf	10	114⅜	114⅜	114⅜+	1
†Arctur R Tub	600	⅛	⅛	⅛	.....
Ark Nat Gas	200	2¼	2¼	2⅜+	⅛
Do A	2,400	2½	2¼	2⅜—	⅛
7% pfd	2,200	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	.....
Ark P&L pfd	40	92⅜	92⅜	92⅜+	⅜
Asso El Ind	200	7¼	7¼	7¼	.....
Asso G & El	100	¾	¾	¾	.....
†Do A	4,400	⅛	⅛	⅛	.....
Do pfd	600	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	.....
Atl Cst Fish	200	3½	3½	3½+	⅛
Atl Cst Line	100	22¾	22¾	22½—	¼
†Atlas Corp w	700	1½	1½	1½	.....
†Atvat & Tran	1,800	3⅜	3¼	3⅜—	⅛
†Axton-Fish A	50	45½	45½	45½	.....
Babcock & W	800	21½	21	21½+	⅝
†Baldw L war	300	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	.....
†Baldw Rub	100	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	.....
†Bardstn Dis	300	⅝	⅝	⅝	.....
†BariumStaStl	200	⅝	⅝	⅝	.....
Basic D'mite	100	7½	7½	7½—	⅛
†Bath Iron W	2,000	11½	11¼	11⅜—	⅛
†Beech Aire	100	7⅞	7⅝	7⅝	.....
†Bell Aire	100	18¼	18¼	18½	.....
†B & Gay Fur	100	⅝	⅝	⅝	.....
†Do war	200	⅛	⅛	⅛	.....
†Bickfords	100	14	14	14	.....
Bliss [EW]	300	14⅛	13⅝	13⅝—	⅜
†Blumenthal S	100	6¾	6¼	6½	.....
Bohack[HC] 1p	40	26	26	26 —	½
†Bourjois	100	4½	4½	4½	.....
Bow-Bill H	200	½	½	½	.....
Braz TL & P	200	7½	7½	7½	.....
†Breeze Corp	100	5⅝	5	5⅛+	⅛
†BrewstAero	9,400	12¾	11⅜	12¾+	⅞
Brill A	500	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	.....
BrilloMfg A	2.70	30⅜	30⅜	30⅜+	⅛
†Brown-F Dist	700	1⅜	1⅛	1⅜+	⅛
†Brown Rub	200	4½	4½	4½+	⅛
Bruce&EP pfd	100	21½	21½	21½—	½
BunkH & S	100	14¼	14¼	14¼	.....
Can Marconi	600	⅞	⅞	⅞	.....
†Cap C Prod	0.25	9	9	9 +	⅛
†Carnegie Met	900	⅞	⅞	⅞+	⅛
†Carnegie Pw	900	⅝	⅝	⅝	.....
Carrier Corp	700	12½	11⅝	11⅝—	⅛
†Catalin Am	400	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜—	⅛
Celluloid pfd	0.25	21	21	21 —	¼
Do 1 pfd	0.20	68	68	68	.....
†Cent St El pw	0.30	97⅛	97⅛	97⅛	.....
Cen St El	3,400	⅞	⅞	⅞	.....
Do 7% pfd	0.25	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	.....
Do cv pfd	0.25	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝+	⅛
Chesbrough	100	108⅝	108⅝	108⅝—	⅛
Childs pfd	200	21¼	20½	20⅝—	⅝
Cities Serv	1,900	5⅛	5	5⅛+	⅛
Do pfd	700	64⅞	64	64 —	⅛
Cl&SP&LS7 pf	0.10	109¾	109¼	109¾+	½
Cl SP&L pfd	0.10	104	104

MEMBER BANKS' BUSINESS LOANS SHRINK FURTHER

Reverse Upward Trend of Preceding Week.

Banks which are members of the federal reserve system reported a smaller total of loans for commercial, industrial, and agricultural purposes in the week ended Dec. 20 than in the preceding week, the federal reserve board reported yesterday. The report covered 101 reporting cities.

Such loans in the latest week totaled $4,406,000,000, a drop of $10,000,000 as compared with the preceding week. The decline marked another sharp reversal of trend, the volume having climbed $38,000,000 in the week ended Dec. 13 after shrinking in the two weeks before that.

Loans Exceed Year Ago.

Despite the newest reduction, the total of these loans was $549,000,000 larger on Dec. 20 than a year earlier.

The banks' holdings of direct United States government obligations totaled $8,762,000,000, which was $101,000,000 less than for the preceding week, but $429,000,000 more than on the corresponding 1938 date.

Holdings of obligations guaranteed by the government amounted to $2,404,000,000, a decrease of $9,000,000 for the week, but a gain of $686,000,000 for the year.

Details of Statement.

Following are the principal assets and liabilities of member banks of the federal reserve system [last six ciphers omitted]:

Assets.	Dec. 20	Increase or decrease since Dec. 13	Dec. 21
	1939	1939	1938.
Loans, invest.—Total	$23,465	−$58	+$1,723
Loans—total	8,932	+ 61	+ 459
Coml. ind. & agr. loans	4,406	− 10	+ 549
Open market paper	322	+ 3	− 8
Loans to brokers and dealers in securities	855	+ 34	− 2
Other loans for purchasing or carrying securities	510	+ 6	− 56
Real estate loans	1,189	..	+ 20
Loans to banks	66	+ 23	− 54
Other loans	1,587	+ 5	+ 10
Treasury bills	653	− 60	..
Treasury notes	1,110	− 54	..
U. S. bonds	5,999	− 17	+ 429
Obligations guaranteed by U. S. govt.	2,404	− 9	+ 686
Other securities	3,367	− 9	+ 149
Reserve with federal reserve banks	9,577	+ 71	+ 2,597
Cash in vault	541	+ 2	+ 48
Balances with domestic banks	3,081	..	+ 692
Other assets—Net	1,285	− 29	+ 13
Liabilities.			
Demand deposits—Adjusted	18,923	− 58	+ 2,898
Time deposits	5,255	+ 4	+ 114
U. S. govt. deposits	584	+ 4	− 55
Inter-bank deposits—			
Domestic banks	7,978	+ 32	+ 1,927
Foreign banks	746	+ 1	+ 239
Borrowings	1	..	− 1
Other liabilities	749	+ 3	+ 79
Capital accounts	3,713	..	+ 30

Head of Firestone Tire Paid Salary of $84,437

New York, Dec. 26 [Special].—John W. Thomas, president of the Firestone Tire and Rubber company, was paid $84,437 during the fiscal year ended Oct. 31, according to a proxy statement of the company notifying stockholders of the annual meeting on Jan. 6.

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POTATO ROAD.

I understand that the directors of the Bangor & Aroostook railroad took no action on the common dividend ordinarily paid in January. Are the road's earnings declining?—W. A.

Answer: The directors of the Bangor & Aroostook railroad company recently shifted to a more conservative dividend policy. At their November meeting no action was taken on a dividend for the common stock usually paid in January. On Oct. 1 the usual payment of 62 cents was reduced to 50 cents a share. The company previously had maintained an annual dividend rate of $2.50 a share since 1935.

The road's revenues have suffered from competition of water and truck transportation. Early this year the interstate commerce commission permitted this and other carriers operating in Maine to cut freight rates on potato shipments to leading eastern markets. The carriers had expected the rate reduction would increase their freight traffic.

The poor performance of the road in 1938 was caused by a 14 per cent drop in potato freight and by decreases in coal and wood pulp shipments. Operations this year showed small improvemennt. Net income in the first eleven months rose to $139,927, from $129,058 in the same 1938 period.

Operating results in recent years compare as follows:

	Total operating revenues.	Net income.	Earned per share.
1934	$6,168,000	$947,000	$4.96
1935	6,067,000	874,000	4.44
1936	5,985,000	747,000	3.55
1937	6,184,000	845,000	4.01
1938	5,616,000	239,000	1.34

The potato crop of Aroostook county and other parts of northern Maine is of primary importance to the Bangor & Aroostook. From one-third to one-half of the road's total revenue is derived from the seasonal movement of potatoes. The purchasing power of the area thru which the road runs depends a great deal on the size and value of the potato crop. The line is known as the "potato road."

The company has total funded debt of $18,211,000. Also outstanding are 38,280 shares of $5 cumulative convertible preferred stock of $100 par value, and 141,792 shares of $50 par common stock. The company has never failed to pay at least $2 a common share each year since 1904.

The 600-mile main line of the road extends from Fort Kent and Van Buren, Me., near the Canadian border, southward to Searsport Harbor, Me. Besides potatoes, it carries lumber, newsprint, paper, wood pulp, soft coal and petroleum products.

Current assets at the end of September were $1,638,564, against current liabilities of $1,087,959.

NEW YORK BOND TRANSACTIONS

BOND AVERAGES

[Compiled by the Associated Press.]

	20 rails.	10 indus.	10 utils.	10 fgn.
Net change	−0.1	−0.1	.....	+0.3
Tuesday	57.3	101.6	95.7	50.0
Previous day	57.4	101.7	95.7	49.7
Month ago	59.1	101.4	96.2	49.7
Year ago	58.4	97.9	91.4	61.6
1939 high	64.9	101.7	97.5	64.0
1939 low	53.4	95.8	90.4	41.7
1938 high	70.5	100.3	95.1	67.0
1938 low	46.2	93.6	85.8	50.6
1932 low	45.8	86.0	64.6	42.2
1928 high	101.1	98.9	102.9	100.5

10 LOW-YIELD BONDS.

Tuesday	111.2	Previous day	111.1
Month ago	110.8	Year ago	110.5
1939 high	112.6	1939 low	103.6
1938 high	110.7	1938 low	106.7
1928 high	104.4	1932 low	86.8

DOMESTIC BONDS.

Sales, thous.	Issue—	High.	Low.	Close.	Chge.	Net
2	Alleghany cv5s'44	77¼	77¼	77¼+	¼	
2	do cv 5s '49	68¼	67¾	67¾—	¾	
11	‡do 5s '50 st	39¼	38¾	38¾—	¾	
1	Allegh Val 4s'42.106	106	106	106	....	
1	Allied Stre 4½s'51	96½	96¼	96½+	¼	
28	AlliedChal cv4s'52	111	110¾	111	+ 1	
30	Am&ForP 5s2030	64¼	62¾	64¼+	1¾	
1	AmIGCbe 5½s'49	102¾	102¾	102¾—	¾	
9	Am T&T 5½'43	109.1	108¾	109.1	+7-32	

[Decimals represent 1-32ds.]

31	do 3¼s '66	108½	108	108¾+	⅛
5	do 3½s '61	108⅝	108¼	108½	....
2	Am WW&E 6s'75.108	108	108	+	⅛
5	Anac Cop 4½s'50.106½	106¾	106¾	106½—	....
22	‡AngCNitra deb'67	37¼	37	37¼+	¼
1	Ann Arbor 4s '95	49	49	49 +	½
1	Arm Del 4s '57..100	100	100	100 —	....
19	do 4s '55	100¾	100	100¾	....
13	AT&SF 4s '95	105¼	105¼	105¼—	....
24	do 4½s '48	102¾	102⅛	102⅜—	....
18	do TShL 4s'58	110½	110	110 —	½
2	do 4½s C-A '62.107½	107¼	107¼	107¼—	¼
4	ACLine 1st4s'52	73¾	73	73	....
1	do 5s '45	71	71	71	....
1	Atl&Dan 1st4s'48	36¼	36¼	36¼—	....
5	do 2d 4s '48	29¼	29	29¼+	¼
20	‡B&O rfg 6s '95	28½	28¼	28⅝+	⅜
1	do rfg 6s '95 ct	28¼	28¼	28¼	....
2	do 1st 5s '48	67	67	67 —	1
10	do 1st 5s '95	68	67⅛	67⅛	....
18	do rfg 5s '95	26½	26½	26½	....
10	do rfg 5s '95 ct	26¼	26¼	26¼+	⅛
12	do 5s '96F	26¼	26¼	26¼	....
20	do 5s '96F ct	26¼	26¼	26¼	....
7	do 5s 2000D	26¼	26¼	26¼	....
48	do 5s 2000D ct	26¼	26¼	26¼	....
84	do cv 4½s '60	16½	16	16¼+	⅛
47	do cv 4½s '60 ct	15¾	15¼	15¾+	⅛
15	do 1st 4s '48	65⅞	65¼	65½	....
2	do PLE&WVa4s'51	58¾	58¾	58¾—	¼
4	do PLE&WVa4s'ct	57	57	57	....
13	‡do S W 5s '50	46	45¼	46	....
3	‡do S W 5s '50 ct	44¼	44¼	44¼+	⅛
6	Bang&Ar cv4s'51st	73¼	73¼	73¼—	⅛
2	do 5s '43	101¼	101¼	101¼	....
7	Bell TPa 5s'48	106½	106½	106½	....
2	do 5s '60C	133⅜	133	133	....
1	Beth Stl 4¼s'60..107¾		107¼	107½—	⅜
18	do 3¾s '66	104⅝	104¼	104⅝—	....
15	do 3½s '52	107¼	107⅛	107⅛—	....
25	do 4s '60	103⅝	103⅜	103⅝—	....
22	do 3¼s '59	100⅝	100⅜	100⅝—	....
12	Boston&Me 5s'67	44⅝	44	44 —	⅛
8	do 5s '61	44	43⅞	43⅞+	....
5	do 5s '55	44	44	44 —	⅛
11	BklyCityRR 5s'41	15¼	15¼	15¼+	⅛
1	BklyEdis 3½s'66.108⅝		108⅝	108⅝—	....
57	BklyManTr4½s'66	84½	84	84 —	⅛
42	do 4½s '66 ct	83⅝	83½	83¾—	....
2	BklyQC&S cn5s'41	39	39	39	....
13	BklynUEl 4½s'50	88	88	88¼+	⅛
5	do 1st 5s '50 ct	86¾	86½	86¾—	....
12	Bklv U Gas 5s'45.112¾		112⅝	112⅝—	....
6	do 5s '50	95¼	95¼	95¼—	....
1	do 5s '57	105¼	105¼	105¼—	....
12	BurlR&P 4½s '57	103⅝	103⅝	103⅝—	⅛
18	do 4½s '57 ct	38	37¾	37¾—	....
2	‡BurCR&N 5s'34	5½	5⅝	5⅝—	....
3	BushTerm 5s '55	40¼	40	40 —	....
1	BushTBdg 5s '60	50½	50½	50½+	....
1	Can Son 5s '62	84¾	84¼	84¼—	....
5	CanNatRy 5s '69.106¾		106¾	106¾—	....
3	do 5s '69 July	104⅛	104	104⅛—	....
41	do 4½s '51	103¼	102½	102⅝+	....
9	do 4½s '56	103	103	103	....
6	do 4½s '57	103¾	103	103 +	....
1	Can Nor 4½s'46.110		110	110 +	⅛
6	Can Pac 5s '44	107¼	107¼	107¼	....
4	‡Cen RR NJ 5s'87	17¾	17	17 —	1
4	do 5s '87 reg	16½	16	16	....
3	do 4s '87	15¾	15	15¾+	....
24	‡Cen RR NJ 5s'87 ct	17¾	17	17¾+	....
4	do 5s '87 reg	16½	16	16	....
2	do 4s '87 reg	15¾	15¾	15¾+	....
24	‡Cen RR NJ 5s'87 ct	17¾	17	17¾+	....
4	do 5s '87 reg	16½	16	16	....
2	do 4s '87 reg	15¾	15	15¾+	....
2	C&O 4½s '92	123¾	123¾	123¾—	....
58	do 3½s '98D	90¾	90¾	90¾—	....
2	do rfg 3½s '96E	89½	89½	89½—	....
24	‡Chi&Alton 3s'49	11	11	11¼+	....
3	CB&Q rfg 5s'71A	81	80½	80½—	....
7	do gen 4s '58	89¾	89¾	89¾+	....
46	do 4s III '49	100	99¾	99¾—	....
1	‡Chi&E Ill 5s	18½	18½	18½	....
12	‡Chi Gt W 4s '59	24¼	24¼	24¼+	....
5	Chi Ind&So 4s'56	60	60	60 —	4½
1	‡Chi I&L 5s'66	6¾	6¾	6¾—	....
131	‡CMSP&Pac 5s'75	6⅞	6⅝	6⅝—	....
1	‡CMStP&P adj 5s'2000	1¾	1¾	1¾—	....
1	‡CM&SP 4½s'89F	26	26	26 +	1
10	‡do 4½s '89 C	25	25	25	....
9	‡do 4½s '89E	25¼	25	25	....
48	do gen 4s '89	23¾	23	23	....
7	‡do 3½s '89B	21¾	21⅞	21⅞—	....
53	‡Chi&NW6½s'36	16⅜	16	16 —	⅜
8	do rfg 5s 2037	9⅞	9¼	9⅝+	....
32	do gm 5s '87	15¾	15¼	15¾+	⅜
3	do 4½s '87	14¼	14¼	14¼	....
74	do cv 4½s '49	3½	3¼	3¼	....
8	do 4½s 2037	9	8½	8½—	....
7	do 4½s 2037C	9	9	9	....
4	do 4s '87	14¼	14¼	14¼+	....
3	do 3½s '87	14¼	14¼	14¼+	....
1	‡Chi Ry 5s '27 ct	45	45	45 —	½
89	‡CRI&P4½s'55A	6½	6¼	6¼—	....
7	do 4½s '52 A ct	5¾	5	5 —	....
26	do cv 4½s '60	2¼	2	2¼ —	....
26	do 4s '88	11¾	11⅜	11⅜—	....
1	do 4s '88 reg	11¾	11⅜	11⅜—	....
1	‡CRI&P 4s '88 ct	12	12	12 —	....
51	do rfg 4s '34	5¼	5¼	5¼—	....
23	do rfg 4s '34ct	4¾	4¾	4¾ —	....
10	do 4s '34 ctf rcp	6¼	6¼	6¼ —	....
2	Ch U St 3¾s '63.107¼		107¼	107¼—	....
1	do 3½s '51	105½	105½	105½—	....
8	Ch&W In 4¼s '62	90	89½	89½—	....
3	do 4s '52	90	90	90 +	....
6	Childs C 5s '43	43	43	43 —	....
35	CCC&StL 4½s '77	50¼	49½	49½—	....
2	do gen 4s '93	63	62¾	62¾—	....
15	do rfg 5s '66 ct	74¾	73¾	74¼+	....
26	do rfg 5s '66	74	73¾	74 —	....
4	Interlakelr 4s '47	89	89	89 —	....
23	‡IntGtN ad 6s '52	1¾	1¾	1¾+	⅛
3	do 5s '56 B	12	11¾	11¾—	....
13	do 5s '56 C	11¾	11¾	11¾—	....
1	IntHydEl cv6s'44	71¾	71¾	71¾	....
15	IntMerMar 6s '41	70	68¼	70 +	2
4	IntPaper 6s '55	97¾	97¾	97¾+	⅛
2	do 5s '47	101¾	101¾	101¾+	....
1	IntRR 5s '77	41¾	40½	40⅝—	....
10	do 4½s '55	41¾	40½	40⅝—	....
25	‡KCFS&M 4s'36	28¼	27¾	28¼+	....
17	KCSouth 5s '50	65	64¼	65 +	⅝
8	do 3s '50	66⅛	66	66⅛	....
4	KasG&E 4½s'80.104	104	104	104	....
23	KingsCo El 4s'49	89	88¾	89 +	⅛
4	KoppersCo 4s '51.104¾		104	104 —	½
5	Kresge Fd 4s'45.104½		104½	104½	....
2	do 3½s '47	105¼	105¼	105¼—	....
14	Lac Gas 5½s '53	45¾	43½	43½—	....
21	do 5½s '60 D	43¾	43	43 —	....
7	do 5s '42	83	82	82 +	½
1	LS&MS 3½s '97	82	82	82 —	....
1	LaLuz F inc '57.103		103	103 —	....
11	LehC&N 4½s'54A	50½	50	50½—	¼
4	do 4½s '54 C	48	47½	47½—	....
3	‡LehVCo 5s'54st	27¼	27¼	27¼+	⅜
3	‡do 5s '64 st	27¼	27¼	27¼—	....
2	LeVal3½s'52.104	104	104	104 —	....
1	LeVNY 4½s'40as	44	44	44 +	....
28	‡LeVal 5s2003asd	16¼	16	16 +	⅛
5	‡do 4½s 2003	15	15	15 +	....
23	‡do 3½s 2003asd	14⅝	14¼	14⅝+	....
3	‡do 3s 2003	13	13	13 +	....
50	‡do 4s 2003 asd	14½	13⅜	14½+	....
5	Lex&East 5s '65.117	117	117	117 +	....
5	LonStarG 3½s'53.108¾		108¾	108¾—	....
10	LongIsRR 4s '49	88	88	88 —	....
5	Louis&Ark 5s'69	82¾	82¾	82¾—	....
7	Lou&N 5s 2003B.102		102	102 +	1½
30	do 4½s 2003	94¾	94	94 —	1⅝
5	do un 4s '40	101⅝	101⅝	101⅝—	....
1	do 1st 4s 2003	88	88	88 —	....
18	do 3¾s 2003	84	83	83¼—	½
5	L&NAl&C 4s'55.105⅝		105⅝	105⅝+	1
4	MaineC 4½s '60	52	52	52 +	⅝
222	‡Manhat 4s '90	79	78¾	79 +	....
9	‡do 4s '90 ct	79	79	79	....
5	‡do 2d 4s 2013	42	42	42 —	¾
1	Mead Corp4s'45 A.105½		105½	105½—	1½
5	Met Ed 4½s '68.112¾		112¾	112¾+	¾
11	MetStCo 4s'53.101⅛		101⅛	101⅛—	....
44	‡MilS&NW 4s'47.	14½	13½	13⅝—	....
1	‡M&St. cn5s'34ct	5¼	5¼	5¼—	....
6	‡do 4s '49	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞+	....
13	‡MSP-SSM5½s'78	52½	51¼	51¾+	¼
10	‡do 4s '38	6¼	6¼	6¼ —	....
11	‡do cn 4s '38	6¼	6¼	6¼+	....
20	M-K-Tex 5s '62A	17¼	17	17 —	....
6	‡do aj 5s '67..	7¾	7¼	7¾—	....
5	do 4½s '78	14	13¾	14 —	....
1	do 1st 4s '90	28	27½	28 +	⅝
5	do 4s '62 B	13	13	13 —	....
16	‡MoPac cv5½s'49	2	1⅞	1⅞—	....
8	‡do 5s '65 A	14½	14	14 —	....
15	‡do 5s '65 A ct	13⅝	13½	13⅝—	....
55	‡do 5s '77 F	14¾	14½	14⅝—	....
18	‡do 5s '77 F ct	13⅝	13½	13⅝+	....
20	‡do 5s '78 G	14¾	14½	14¾+	....
21	‡do 5s '80 H	14	14	14 —	....
36	‡do 5s '81 I	14¼	14	14 —	....
12	‡do 5s '81 I ct	13⅝	13¼	13½—	....
83	‡do gen 4s '75	3¾	3¾	3¾	....
4	‡Mob&Oh 5s'38	32¾	32¾	32¾+	⅛
20	‡do 4½s '77	28	27¾	28 —	....
9	MWPaPs 5½s'60.100½		100½	100⅝—	....
6	do 5s '65	110¼	110¼	110¼	....

CHICAGO STOCKS

Tuesday, December 26, 1939.

Shares sold today	28,000	Total sales 1939 to date	8,228,000
Year ago	43,000	Total sales 1938 to date	7,637,900

—1939— High.	Low.	Description, div. rate.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	chge.	Bid.	Asked.
71¾	54	Abbott Lab [1.60a]	100	67¼	67¾	67¼	67½	— ½	66½	67¾
13⅜	6	Aetna B Bear [1]	100	12¾	13⅛	12¾	13⅛	+ ⅜	12¾	13⅛
19	11	Allied Lab [.60a]	100	18	18½	18	18½	+ ⅛	18	18⅜
47⅞	28⅝	‡Allis Ch Mfg [1a]	15	39	39	39	39	....	39	35¼
98	59	Am Pub S pf [3.50k]	40	94½	94½	94½	94½	— ½	94	96
171	147⅞	‡Am Tel & Tel [9]	125	170½	170¾	170¾	170¾	....	169½	171
8⅝	3¾	Armour & Co	200	5¼	5¼	5⅛	5⅛	— ⅛	5	5⅛
15⅝	7¾	Aro Equip [1g]	200	14¼	14⅝	14¼	14⅝	+ ⅜	14	14⅛
9¾	3¼	‡Aviation Corp	200	6¾	6⅞	6¾	6⅞	....	6¾	7⅛
4¼	1¾	Avia & Trans	100	3¼	3¾	3¼	3¾	+ ⅜	3¼	3⅝
33½	16⅞	Bendix Av [1.50g]	100	30	30	30	30	....	29⅝	30¼
10½	7⅜	Berghoff Brew [.10]	200	10¼	10¼	10¼	10¼	....	10⅛	10⅜
36⅛	13½	Bliss & Lau [2.50a]	200	23	23	23	23	+ ½	22½	23⅛
32	19⅝	Borg Warner [1a]	200	24⅝	24⅞	24⅝	24¾	+ ⅛	24⅝	24⅞
23	17	Brach & Sons [1.20a]	10	21¼	21½	21¼	21½	— ⅛	20	21½
3⅞	2	Burd Piston Rng	50	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞	....	2⅞	2⅞
9	5⅝	Butler Bros [.80g]	150	7¼	7¼	7¼	7¼	....	7⅛	7⅜
23¼	18½	Do pfd [1.50]	50	20¼	20¼	20¼	20¼	+ ⅛	20¼	20⅝
16⅜	9¼	‡Camp Wyant [.60g]	25	15½	15½	15½	15½	....	15¼	15⅝
82¾	64⅜	Cen Ill P S pf [4k]	80	81½	81½	81¼	81¼	— ⅜	81¼	82
1¾	¼	Cen Ill Sec	1,200	½	½	½	½	....	½	¾
8	4	Do pfd [2.35k]	50	6¼	6¼	6¼	6¼	— ⅛	6¼	6⅝
1⅝	⅝	Cen & S W Ut	100	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	....	1¼	1⅜
1⅝	⅞	Chi & N W	550	¼	¼	¼	¼	....	⅛	¼
2¾	1¼	Chi Corp	8,750	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	+ ⅛	1⅝	1⅝
38⅛	32½	Do pfd [3k]	50	35¼	35¼	35¼	35¼	....	35¼	37
¾	¼	Chi Rys pf ct '71	70	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞	....	⅞	2½
9½	5	‡Chi Yel Cab [1]	25	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾	....	8¾	9
94⅛	53⅝	‡Chrysler Cor [5g]	40	88¾	89	88¾	89	....	88⅛	89¾
9¾	4½	Cities Serv	800	4¾	5¼	4⅞	5⅛	+ ⅛	5	5⅛
31⅜	25⅝	Com'w Edis [1.60]	2,700	31½	31½	31½	31½	....	31½	31⅝
16½	9	Comp Ind Gas [.50g]	150	11⅞	12¼	12⅛	12⅜	+ ⅛	12⅛	12⅜
6⅝	3	Con Biscuit	150	3	3⅛	3	3⅛	+ ⅛	3	3⅜
9⅜	6¾	Cons Oil [.80]	100	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	....	7⅛	7¾
37⅜	17	Crane Co [.60g]	185	23¾	23¾	23	23	....	23¼	23⅜
73	61	Cudahy Pack pfd	120	61	61	59	59	— 2	59	61
19¼	12¼	Cuninngh Pic Sl. [1]	200	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	18¾	+ ⅛	18½	19
4½	1	Curtis Lt	20	2	2	2	2	....	2	3⅝
25⅜	17⅜	‡Deere & Co [.75g]	25	23¼	23¾	23¼	23½	....	23¼	25
4¾	2⅜	El Household	600	3¼	3¼	3¼	3½	....	3½	3⅝
25⅜	17⅞	Elgin Nat Wat [.60g]	100	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾	....	23¾	23¾
43¾	24⅞	‡Fairbanks M [1.50g]	4	36⅝	36⅝	36⅝	36⅝	....	36	37
4	2	Fuller Mfg [.20g]	600	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	— ⅛	3½	3⅝
47⅞	36⅜	‡Gen Foods [2a]	87	47⅝	47⅞	47⅝	47⅞	....	47⅜	47¾
56⅜	36⅜	‡Gen Motors [3.50g]	239	54¼	54⅝	53⅞	54¼	....	54⅛	54⅜
13⅝	10	Goldblatt [.25a]	50	10½	10½	10½	10½	....	10	10½
38⅝	21⅜	‡Goodyear T&R [1]	166	23¾	23¾	23½	23½	....	23	24
13⅞	9	Gossard H W [1.25g]	200	12⅞	13	12⅞	13	+ ⅛	12½	13
27¼	18⅜	Gt Lakes Dredge [1a]	100	26¼	26¼	26¼	26¼	— ⅛	26⅛	26⅜
18⅜	8½	Hall Print	100	18	18	18	18	— ⅛	17⅝	18
10	6¾	Heileman G Br [1a]	100	9	9	9	9	....	8¾	9
9⅜	7	Hein W Mot P [.60a]	50	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾	....	8¾	9
31	23½	Hormel & Co [1.50]	100	31	31	31	31	....	29⅝	31
14⅜	9¼	Hubbell H Inc[1.20a]	50	14¼	14½	14¼	14½	....	14⅜	14⅝
6⅜	3	Ill Brick	350	3¼	3¼	3¼	3¼	....	3¼	3⅜
2¼	1	Ind Sil Prod	100	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼	— ⅛	2	2⅜
71¾	45⅞	‡Int Harvest [1.60]	53	60⅝	60⅝	60⅛	60⅛	....	59	61
18	10½	Jarvis W B [1.50g]	200	16⅛	16⅛	16	16	+ ⅛	15⅝	16
8¼	5	Ken-Rad T & L	100	5	5	5	5	— ⅛	4	6
45⅜	29	KyUtir cump[3.50]	10	44½	44½	44½	44½	+ ⅜	44¼	44½
101⅝	68	Do 6% pfd [6]	10	100½	100½	100½	100½	....	100	102
32½	27	Lawbeck pfd [2]	50	28½	28½	28½	28½	....	28½	29
10⅛	6¾	Le Roi Co [.25g]	100	6½	6½	6¼	6¼	— ⅛	6¼	6¾
2	1	Loudon Pack	100	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	....	1⅜	1½
1½	⅞	Manh-Dearborn	100	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞	....	⅞	⅞
17⅞	9⅝	Marsh [.60 1.30g]	450	14¼	14¼	14	14	— ⅛	13¾	14⅛
5⅝	2	Miller & Hart pfd	60	4	4	4	4	....	3½	4
57⅞	40⅝	‡Montg Ward [1a]	129	54⅝	54¾	54⅝	54⅝	....	54½	54⅝
73⅜	41⅛	Mtn Sta Pow pfd	10	72	72	72	72	— ⅜	71

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'38 Buick 61 sd.; ra., ht..$665
'37 Buick 61 sd.; ra., ht.. 525
'37 Buick 67 sd.; ra., ht.. 495
'36 Buick 41 sd.; htr..... 375
'36 Buick 48 sed.; ra., ht. 345
'37 La Salle sed.; ra., ht.. 495
'37 Pack. 8up. 8 sd.; r., h. 495
'37 De Soto trk. sed.; ht.. 395

6100 N. Western

La Salle 1939

Grey 4 dr. trunk sedan with heater, defroster; like new. $1,045.

La Salle 1938.

4 dr. trunk sedan; radio, heater, seat covers, defroster. Special $795.

La Salle 1937.

4 dr. trunk sedan; heater, defroster; black finish. Bargain at $495.

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LA SALLE 1939—$895

4 door 5 pass. de luxe trunk sedan; radio, heater, whitewall tires, beaut. jet black finish; positively cannot be told from brand new. See it.

3535 N. ASHLAND

LA SALLE '39, $645

4 door touring sedan. Fully equipped.

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LA SALLE—'38 TOUR. SEDAN.....$765 4 door trunk; positively like brand new; trunk. Car cannot be told from new; w. w. tires, radio, htr.; very low mileage. Sac. Priv. party. 3270 Lake Shore-dr. L. V. 3260

LA SALLES—18 to choose from: 35s to '39s. All styles; prices slashed for quick sale. Cadillac, 652 Madison. Oak Pk., Aus. 6074.

LA SALLE—'35 TOWN SEDAN.....$345 Performance, comfort and economy. McFarland-Keenan, S. E. cor. 76th-Halsted.

LA SALLE—Late 1937 sedan; 4 dr. 5 pass.; w/w tires. $395. Terms. 1647 S. Pulaski.

LINC.-ZEPHYR '38, $695.

5 pass., 4 door sedan; radio, heater. Like new; pass for brand new. INDEPENDENT MOTORS. 2700 MADISON.

MERCURYS.

'39 sedan-cpe., rad., w. w. tires..$695
'39 conv. cpe., rad., htr., blk. top 795
FORD-MERCURY-ZEPHYR DEALER. Stallworth, 7400-16 Stony Isl.

Olds. '38 Sedan, $485

De luxe 5 pass., 6 cyl. tour. sed.; trunk, radio, htr., defrosters, w. w. tires; and '37 5 pass. sedan, built-in trunk, radio, htr., defrost., tires, paint perfect. Sac. at $395. Your car or $27 dn., bal. $18.50 per mo.

MIDWAY CHEVROLET CO., 6522 COTTAGE GROVE. MID. 3500.

3939WASHINGTON

OLDS—
COOK COUNTY DISTRIBUTOR.
SPECIAL
1936 4 door trunk sedan.....$275
Most outstanding bargain of the year. Tms.
COOK COUNTY DIST. 1340 W. 63RD.

Olds '39 De Luxe Sed., $695.

4 door; trunk, factory built-in radio, htr., defrosters; very low mileage; like new. Your car down, balance 24 months. 1637 N. CICERO. OPEN EVENINGS.

OLDS—'37 4 DR. TRUNK SEDAN..... $445 RADIO, HEATER, EXCELLENT COND. OLDS DEALER, 661 N. LA SALLE-ST.

OLDS.—'36 4 dr. trunk sedan—$275. Needs some repair. Briargate 7800. CHEV. DLR., 1212 Chicago-av., Evanston.

OLDS—'39 5 p. trunk sed.; heater ....$595 DODGE DLR., 1019 Davis-st., Evanston.

PIERCE-ARROW—'32 7 pass. sedan....$145 Small 8; black finish; side mts., etc. MICHAEL MOTORS, 7405 Stony Island.

PACKARD 1937

SUPER 8 TOURING SEDAN.

A fine car, original cost over $3,000, that has been thoroly reconditioned by our factory trained mechanics. Perfect tires, radio, heater, and spotless interior. Sold to you with Packard's guarantee. Looks and runs like brand new. We are offering this car, during our pre-inventory sale for only

$725

PACKARD-EVANSTON,
1735 E. RAILROAD-AV. HOL. 2121.

PACKARDS—5 FELZ BUYS.

'38 120 SEDAN.....$590
'37 120 CONV. COUPE..... 475
'37 SUPER 8 DE LUXE..... 590
'36 STAND. 8 DE L. SEDAN..... 390
'35 STAND. 8 SED. LIKE NEW.... 290
1132 DIVERSEY-BLVD.

PACKARD, CUSTOM CONV.
DIETRICK SEDAN.
Orig. $5,050 cost, radio, heater, 6 wheels, life guard tubes, although '35 car, runs equivalent 2 years; like new and priced at only $485. Phone Grace. 2810.

Packard 1938

4 dr. 5 pass. trunk sedan with radio, heater, de luxe equipment, thruout. Special today at $575.

CADILLAC,

2258 MICHIGAN. OPEN EVENINGS.

PACKARD—'37-120 SEDAN. $450. 5 pass.; trunk, heater, radio. Your car down: 12-24 mos. Always open.

2810 W. MADISON.

PACKARD—'38 convert. sedan; radio, heater, w. w. tires; like brand new..... $845 North Side Packard, 6101 N. Western.

'36 PACKARD 3 p. de luxe cpe., r. h.. $395
'35 Packard 4 dr. trk. sed., r. h..... 605
ORVILLE'S, 6035 BROADWAY.

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'39 Buick Rdmstr. 4 dr. trk. sed.; rad.$875
'39 Buick 41 4 dr. trk. sed.; rad., htr. 725
'38 Buick 41 4 dr. trk. sed.; rad., htr. 695
'37 Buick 41 4 dr. trk. sedan; h., s. m. 495
'37 Buick 41 4 dr. trk. sedan; s. m... 495
'37 Buick 7 p. sed.; white walls, s. m. 595
'36 Buick 41 trk. sedan; radio, heater. 525
'36 Buick conv. cpe.; radio, heater ... 375
'36 Buick 7 p. sed.; radio, htr., s. m. 495
'35 Buick reporta coupe; rum. seat .. 195
'34 Buick 4 dr. sed.; model 57 195
'37 Cadillac tour. sed.; trunk, radio .. 795
'36 Cadillac 7 pass. sed.; black..... 495
'36 Cadillac conv. cpe.; s. m.; mod. 60 450
'36 Cadillac mod. 60 spec. sed.; radio 475
'35 Cadillac cv. coupe; Elec. bdy., f., h. 395
'35 Cadillac 7 p. sedan; s. m., htr. 395
'35 Cadillac cv. sed.; s. m.; like new. 375
'34 Cadillac 7 p. sed.; black; 41 cond. 295
'36 De Soto Airflow sed.; radio, heater 345
'36 Hudson 4 dr. sed.; radio, heater.. 495
'35 Hupp. 4 dr. sedan; like new..... 245
'37 La Salle trk. sed.; s. m., rad., htr. 525
'36 La Salle 4 dr. trk. sed.; rad., htr.. 395
'35 Lincoln 7 pass. sed.; s. m.; black.. 245
'38 Linc.-Zeph. de l. sed.; w. w., rad.. 645
'36 Linc. Zeph. 4 dr. sed.; radio 395
'35 Lincoln de luxe sed.; s. m. 295
'37 Packard 7 p. sed.; s. m.; black ... 650
'37 Packard sup. 8 sed.; trk., rad., htr. 595
'37 Packard 120 4 dr. trk. sed.; r., htr. 495
'37 Packard 6 4 dr. sedan; radio 425
'36 Packard 7 p. super 8 sedan 450
'36 Packard 120 sed.; rad., htr., s. m. 365
'35 Packard 7 p. sed.; chauf. dr.; rad. 375
'31 Packard 7 pass. sed.; chauf. driven 125

WHOLESALE TO DEALERS.
Also 50 other models in Fords, Chevrolets, Plymouths, and Dodges. All cars reconditioned and guaranteed. Must be seen to appreciate their value.

2246 S. MICHIGAN

Open Evenings. Cal. 4437.

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On These Bargains

'37 Buick 4 door sedan.....$545
'38 Dodge de luxe coupe..... 495
'36 Ford touring sedan..... 285
'38 La Salle touring sedan..... 665
'39 Oldsmobile touring sedan..... 745
'38 Plymouth 5 pass. sedan..... 495
'38 Packard 8 touring sedan..... 725
'36 Packard 8 touring sedan..... 425
'36 Packard standard 8 sedan..... 525
'35 Packard standard 8 sedan..... 395
'35 Packard 7 pass. sedan..... 395

Packard-South Shore

1441 E. 75th-st. Mid. 7272.

Packard "6"-'39, $695

Opera seat coupe, white wall tires, Packard radio, heater. Your car dn., bal. 24 mos. HOUSE OF WALTON. 2229 MICHIGAN.

PLYMOUTH 1938, $445.

Latest 5 pass. compt. sedan; beau. black; like new; guaranteed; terms, trade. DODGE-BENSON-RIEGER, INC.—PLYM. 933 WASHINGTON-BLVD.

Plymouth '38 Tr. Sed., $473.

De luxe 5 pass.; radio, heater, trunk. AUTH. DE SOTO PLYMOUTH DLR., 3520 ARCHER.

Plym. '38 De L. Sedan, $465.

Built-in trunk, factory built-in radio, heater and defrosters. Very low mi. guar. Your car down, balance 24 months. 1637 N. CICERO. OPEN EVENINGS.

PLYMOUTH—'38 de luxe trunk sedan; radio, heater, dual equipped; offered by Chicago's most reliable Plymouth and De Soto Dealer. $375. BURKE, 6445 S. WESTERN-AV.

PLYM.—'33 de l. 4 dr. P. D. sedan; heater, safety glass, etc.; exc. cond.; sac. to privpty., dlr. $125. 3717 N. Sawyer. Key. 5315.

PLYM.—'35 de luxe touring sedan. $125. STUDEBAKER BRANCH, 3822 Lawrence.

PLYMOUTH 1939 de luxe coupe; radio, heater; low mileage. Bargain. Guaranteed. BUICK ON MICHIGAN. 2257 Michigan.

PLYM.—'33 de l. 4 dr. sed.; runs gd.; full price $45. Bennett Pontiac. 1117 N. Clark

PLYM.—1936 de luxe sedan; radio, heater, many extras. Ex. cond. Must sac. Wbn.8038

PLYM.—'35 5-p. sed.; heater; like new.$225. S. & M. AUTO, 7333 S. HALSTED.

PLYMOUTH—'35 4 dr. touring sedan...$165 LANAHAN, INC., 2522 and 2542 Michigan.

PLYMOUTH—'37 de luxe sedan, radio, htr., $325. Private party. Holly. 5343.

PLYM.—'34 P. E. de luxe town sedan....$85 Superior Motor Sales, 6943 S. Halsted.

PONTIAC 1933

5 pass. sedan—all perfect car. A real automobile in every way. Special today at $95

Northwest Auto Co.

Buick Dealer,
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Brand New—$200 Discount.

1939 PONTIAC SEDAN: TRUNK.....$645
1938 PONTIAC SEDAN: TRUNK..... 495
1937 PONTIAC SEDAN: TRUNK..... 365
1936 PONTIAC SEDAN: TRUNK..... 265
FITZPATRICK PONTIAC DEALERS.
7727 S. ASHLAND.

Pontiac '36—$45 Down

6 cyl. de luxe coupe. Original grey finish. Very low mileage, tires are like new. Car is almost as clean as a new one. $319. Your car or $45 down, bal. $5 per week.

MIDWAY CHEVROLET CO., 6522 COTTAGE GROVE. MID. 3500.

Pontiac '37 Conv. Sed., 6 Cyl.

Radio white walls; from Flossmoor.

Today—$545

SOUTH SHORE BUICK, INC. 7320 STONY ISLAND. MID. 6403.

PONTIAC—Brand new 1939 Big discount BENNETT PONTIAC 1117 N CLARK.

PONTIAC—'37 6 coupe; exc. condition..$395 CHEV. DLR., 1050 Chicago-av., Evanston.

STUDEBAKER — 6 CONVERTIBLE COUPE. 1935, in attractive Balsam Green. Has heater rumble seat. Interior, exterior, motor, and tires are 100%. Special at $235. STUDEBAKER BRANCH, 1836 RIDGE, EVANSTON.

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NO MONEY DOWN or Small Down Payment

12-20 MONTHS TO PAY

IF YOU HAVE A JOB, 90 DAY GUAR.—7 DAY DRIVING TRIAL.

1940 LICENSE FREE

'35 Buick sed..$195 '36 Chev. 2 d. sd.$285
'37 Chev. t. sed. 345 '33 Dodge sed.... 125
'36 Dodge sed.. 295 '34 Ford sed.... 95
'36 Ford sed.... 265 '36 Pont. 4 d. sd. 565
'35 Olds. t. sed. 295 '35 Plym. sed.... 135
'34 Chev. cpe.... 165 '34 Pontiac cpe.... 165
'34 Chev. coupe 145 '37 Studc. sed.... 345
'37 Nash-L. sd. 325 '36 Hudson sed.. 245
'37 Terra. sed.. 345 '34 Plym. de l. sd. 195
'36 Plym. cpe.. 225 '30 Pontiac sed.... 45
'30 Ford sedan. 45 '34 Pont. tr. sed. 165
'36 Ford limo.. 495 '37 La Salle sed. 445
'37 Plym. sed. 345 '39 Buick sed.... 695
'37 Olds. sed.. 445 '37 Packard sed. 375
'37 Dodge sed.. 365 '37 Pontiac sed. 365
'39 Dodge sed.. 625 '37 Chrys. sed.. 245
'38 Chev. sed.. 445 '38 Ford cpe.... 395
'38 Lin.-Zep. sd. 625 '39 Hudson sed. 650

MANY OTHERS TO SELECT FROM. SOME WITH RADIOS AND HEATERS.

3940 GRAND

SPAULDING 3940. OPEN EVES., SUNDAY.

RUBY SPECIALS

'30 DODGE sedan.....$ 45
'30 FORD roadster..... 65
'31 CHEVROLET sport coupe..... 75
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Chicago Daily Tribune.
THE WORLDS GREATEST NEWSPAPER
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1939.

Hitler Treads on French Soil During Visit to Front—Camouflaged Finnish Troops in the War Zone

Adolf Hitler (center) chatting with soldier during Christmas visit to western front, according to German censor. Berlin reported Hitler crossed border into France on visit.
[Acme Telephoto: Sent yesterday from Berlin by radio.]
(Story on page 4.)

Members of Finnish ski battalion, wearing white cloth capes and caps over uniforms to blend themselves with background, making camp "somewhere in Finland." It is troops of this type who are wreaking havoc on the Russians. The Reds complain of the skis and camouflage.
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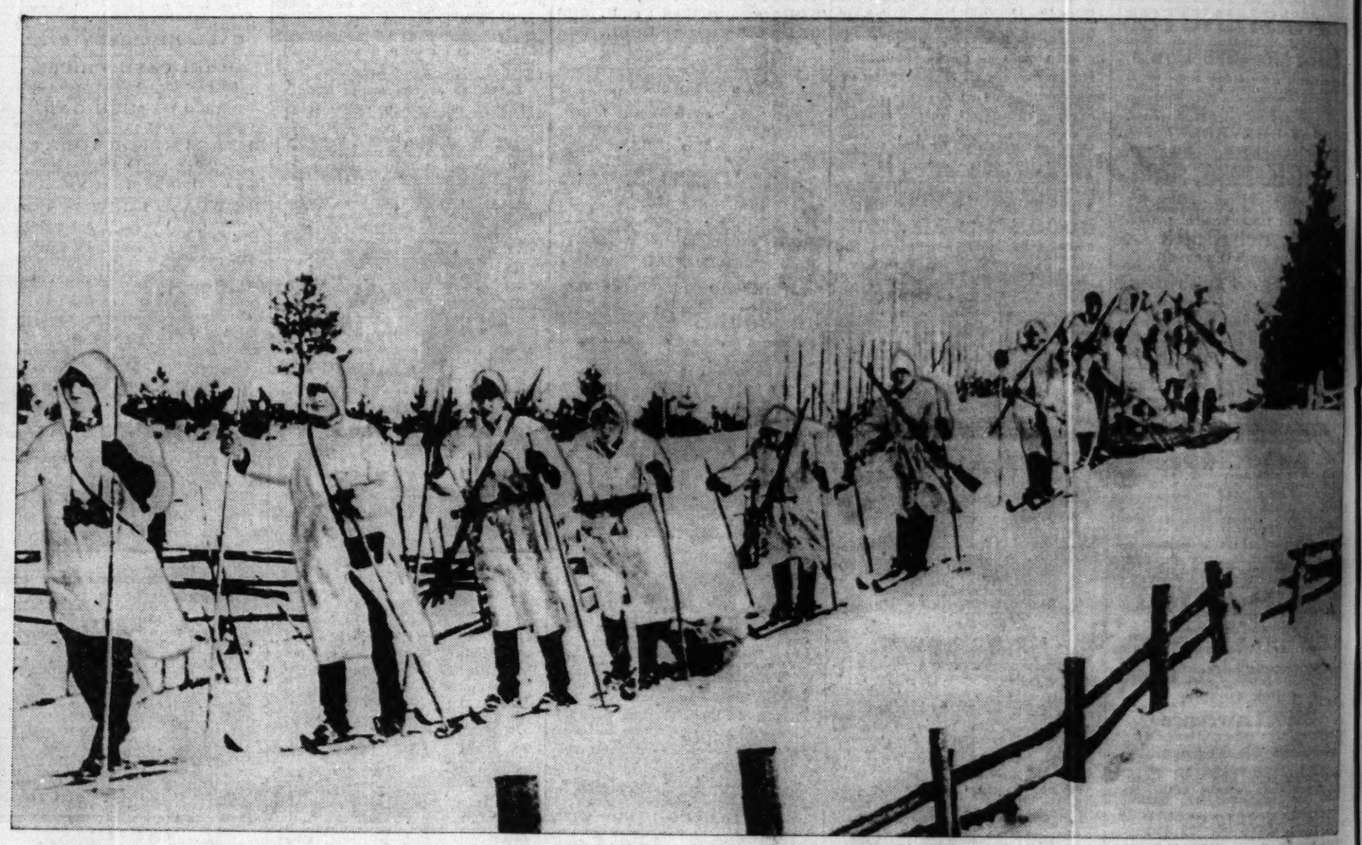
Ruby Keeler, screen star, in Los Angeles court yesterday when she was awarded divorce from Al Jolson on ground of cruelty. She testified that he called her "stupid."
[Associated Press Wirephoto.]
(Story on page 11.)



Here is the battalion skiing over the slopes "somewhere in Finland." Note how the white uniforms, black clad legs showing beneath, blend with the snow and the trees. Finnish troops, according to an army communique, have invaded Russia and are fighting on soviet soil for the first time.
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L. V. Adams, printing official in Washington, looking at one of 263,000 posters printed to persuade citizens to answer questions for 1940 census takers. The red, white and blue posters are an appeal to the nation's patriotism.
[Associated Press Wirephoto.]
(Story on page 11.)

The information forwarded from Sweden with this picture described the scene as "two soldiers from Finnish ski battalion ready to shoot." Close examination of an enlargement proves that there are three and not two soldiers at gun.
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BY DAVID DARR
[Chicago Tribune Press Se
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Military Board Investi
A military commission m
in Dublin today to investig
day's raid on the Phoenix P
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on charges of having been
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said to have been arrested
tonight.

Belfast Houses Sear
Another anti-IRA drive
on in Belfast. Houses in t
alist area of the city are be
by police and the Ulster g
has ordered border guard
outskirts of Londonderry
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The Belfast Republican a
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MEXICAN CHAMB
PASSES BILL TO
RELIGIOUS TEA

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 27.—
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